

# 2017 SPRING MEDIA GUIDE

# PENN STATE FOOTBALL

2016 BIG TEN CHAMPIONS

2016



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## QUICK FACTS

**Location:** University Park, Pa. 16802

**Enrollment:** 41,359 (undergraduate);  
47,261 (University Park overall)

**Nickname:** Nittany Lions

**Colors:** Blue & White

**Stadium (Capacity):** Beaver Stadium (106,572)

**Stadium Surface:** Natural Grass

**Conference:** Big Ten

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## TEAM INFORMATION

**2016 Record:** 11-3

**2016 Big Ten Conference Record (finish):** 7-1 (T-1st East)

**Lettermen Returning/Lost:** 45/17

**Starters Returning/Lost:** 19/7

**Additional Returnees with Starting Experience:** 17

**Blue-White Game:** Saturday, April 22, 3 p.m.

## HISTORY

**First Year of Football:** 1887

**All-time Record:** 867-385-42, 130 seasons;

✓ 8th nationally in victories

**All-time Bowl Record:** 28-17-2;

✓ 3rd nationally in bowl victories

**Years in Postseason Play:** 47;

✓ 9th in all-time bowl appearances

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## SEASON NOTES

### FORTY-FIVE LETTERWINNERS RETURN

- Penn State returns 45 lettermen from last year's Big Ten Championship squad – 24 on defense, 18 on offense and three on special teams.
- Of the 45 overall lettermen returning, 35 have starting experience – 16 on defense, 15 on offense and four on special teams.
- The Nittany Lions lost the services of 17 lettermen – nine on defense, five on offense and four specialists.

### EIGHTEEN STARTERS RETURNING

- The Nittany Lions return 18 starters – nine on offense, six on defense and three on special teams.
- Seventeen additional Penn Staters have starting experience – six on offense, 10 on defense and one on special teams.
- Among the returning starters are 2016 Big Ten Offensive Player of the Year Saquon Barkley, All-Big Ten first team selection Tyler Davis, All-Big Ten second team honorees Trace McSorley and Mike Gesiski, as well as All-Big Ten third team choices Marcus Allen and Jason Cabinda.

### 2017 PENN STATE SCHEDULE

Sept.	2	AKRON
Sept.	9	PITTSBURGH
Sept.	16	GEORGIA STATE
Sept.	23	at Iowa *
Sept.	30	INDIANA **
Oct.	7	at Northwestern *
Oct.	21	MICHIGAN **
Oct.	28	at Ohio State **
Nov.	4	at Michigan State **
Nov.	11	RUTGERS **(1)
Nov.	18	NEBRASKA *
Nov.	25	at Maryland **

(1) Homecoming; \*Big Ten Conference games;

\*\*Big Ten East Division games.

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# 2017 PREVIEW

## LIONS HOST PANTHERS FOR FIRST TIME SINCE 1999

- Penn State welcomes Pittsburgh to Beaver Stadium for the first time since 1999 when the Panthers visit Happy Valley Sept. 9. This is the second game of a four-game series.
- The Nittany Lions have met the Panthers more than any other opponent – 97 times – with Penn State owning a 50-43-4 series advantage.
- The teams first met in 1893 and played every season from 1900-31 and 1935-92, often in a compelling final game of the regular season.
- The teams did not meet from 1993-96, when Penn State began play in the Big Ten Conference, and then played a four-game series from 1997-2000, with the Nittany Lions winning the 1997-99 contests.
- The Panthers has won the two last meetings, including a 42-39 decision at Heinz Field in 2016.
- Penn State owns a 17-6 record against Pitt in State College, while the Panthers have a 35-29-4 advantage in games played on their home field.
- Penn State leads, 5-1, in neutral site games, the majority of which were played in Pittsburgh.

## SUCCESS IN THE CLASSROOM

- The Penn State football team continued to excel in the classroom during the 2016 fall semester with 51 squad members earning at least a 3.0 grade-point average.
- This marks the seventh time in the last eight semesters (including summer sessions) the Nittany Lions have had more than 50 student-athletes with a 3.0 GPA or better.
- The Lions have had 50 or more student-athletes with a 3.0 GPA or higher in each of the last three fall semesters.
- A total of 19 Nittany Lions posted a 3.5 GPA or higher in the fall semester, with 15 earning Dean's List recognition for having 3.5 GPA or higher with 12 credits earned in undergraduate work.
- Overall, 48 football student-athletes own a 3.0 cumulative GPA or higher after the fall semester, with 16 posting a 3.5 cumulative GPA or higher.
- The fall semester also saw true freshman punter Blake Gillikin and graduate student Cody Hodgens post perfect 4.0 GPAs.
- Gillikin is enrolled in the Schreyer Honors College.
- Additionally, 19 Nittany Lions earned Academic All-Big Ten recognition last fall.
- The Nittany Lion freshmen were impressive in the fall semester with 15 posting a 3.0 or higher.



Rising senior safety Marcus Allen made arguably the defining play of the Penn State Football season when he blocked Ohio State's field goal attempt in the fourth quarter, which was picked up by Grant Haley and returned 60 yards for the game-winning touchdown.

## BIG TEN CHAMPIONS

- Penn State defeated Wisconsin, 38-31, in the Big Ten Championship game Dec. 3 in Lucas Oil Stadium to win its first Big Ten Championship since 2008 and fourth overall (1994, 2005).
- It was Penn State's first appearance in the Big Ten Championship game since the game's inception in 2011.
- Finishing at 8-1 in Big Ten play during the regular season, Penn State clinched a share of the Big Ten East Division title with Ohio State. It is the first divisional title for the Nittany Lions since sharing the Leaders Division crown with Wisconsin in 2011.

## SUSTAINED EXCELLENCE

- Penn State and Wisconsin are the only Big Ten teams that have posted a winning season the last 12 consecutive years.
- Penn State is one of eight teams (USC, LSU, Florida State, Wisconsin, Oklahoma, Oregon, Virginia Tech) in the Autonomy Five that has had a winning record each of the last 12 years.
- Overall in the FBS, Penn State is one of nine teams with a winning record in the last 12 years (Boise State).

## WINNING B1G

- Penn State earned eight Big Ten wins for just the second time in program history with the other being the 8-0 conference mark in 1994.
- The Nittany Lions won eight consecutive Big Ten games for the first time since 1994.
- The Nittany Lions finished Big Ten play at 8-1 for the first time, as Penn State had never played nine Big Ten games in a season.
- Penn State's 8-1 Big Ten record represents its third one-loss Big Ten season (7-1; 2005 & 2008) and second eight-win season (8-0; 1994).

## LIONS EXCELLING AT THE NEXT LEVEL

- A total of 31 Penn State football alumni populated the rosters of 22 National Football League teams in 2016.
- Of those 31 Nittany Lions playing in the NFL, two – Sean Lee and Cameron Wake – were selected to the NFL Pro Bowl in Orlando.
- Wake made his fifth Pro Bowl appearance and fourth in the last five years.
- He also collected his fourth career Associated Press All-NFL honor (2010, 2012, 2014, 2016) with a second team appearance after ranking sixth in the NFL with 11.5 sacks.
- Lee made his second consecutive Pro Bowl appearance and earned his first All-Pro honor after finishing fourth in the NFL in total tackles with a career-high 145 stops.
- He reached the 100-tackle mark for the third time in his career and second-straight season (105 in 2011; 128 in 2015).

## COACHING STAFF & SUPPORT PERSONNEL

**Head Coach:** James Franklin (East Stroudsburg '95)

**Penn State Record:** 25-15, fourth season

**Career Record:** 49-30, seventh season

### ASSISTANT COACHES/STAFF

**Brent Pry** (Buffalo '93), 4th season; Associate Head Coach/Defensive Coordinator/Linebackers

**Joe Moorhead** (Fordham '96), 2nd season; Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks

**Charles Huff** (Hampton '05), 4th season; Special Teams Coordinator/Running Backs

**Tim Banks** (Central Michigan '95), 2nd season; Co-Defensive Coordinator/Safeties

**Josh Gattis** (Wake Forest '06), 4th season; Offensive Recruiting Coord./Assistant Special Teams Coord./Wide Receivers

**Matt Limegrover** (Chicago '91), 2nd season; Offensive Line

**Ricky Rahne** (Cornell '02), 4th season; Passing Game Coordinator/Tight Ends

**Terry M. Smith** (Penn State '91), 4th season; Assistant Head Coach/Defensive Recruiting Coord./Cornerbacks

**Sean Spencer** (Clarion '95), 4th season; Run Game Coordinator/Defensive Line

**Sean Casciaro, Mark Dupuis, Matt Fleischacker, Kevin Smith**; Graduate Assistant Coaches

**Dwight Galt**; Assistant Athletic Director, Performance Enhancement

**Dwight Galt IV**; Assistant Director of Performance Enhancement

**Barry Gant Jr.**; Assistant Director of Performance Enhancement

**Chuck Losey**; Assistant Director of Performance Enhancement

**Alvin Futrell**; Performance Enhancement Coach

**Jemal Griffin**, Chief of Staff

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**Michael Hazel**, Director of Football Operations

**Andy Frank**; Director of Player Personnel

**Will Flaherty**; Director of Player Development & Community Relations

**Wally Richardson**; Director of the Football Letterman's Club

**Kenny Sanders**; Assistant Director of Player Personnel

**Andrew Goodman & Mike Villagran**; Assistant Recruiting Coordinators

**Samuel Williams**; Special Teams Recruiting Assistant for Quality Control

**Todd Kulka**; Football Academic Support Services Coordinator

**Molly Tye**; Academic Counselor

**Chelsea Holmes**; Assistant Learning Specialist

**Dr. Scott Lynch**; Director of Athletic Medicine

**Dr. Peter Seidenberg**; Team Physician

**Tim Bream**; Assistant Athletics Director, Athletic Training Services/Head Athletic Trainer

**Superman Berrow, Madeleine Scaramuzzo & Wes Sohns**; Football Trainers

**Jay Takach**; Assistant Athletic Director, Equipment Services

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**Blake Newsock**; Assistant Video Director - Productions

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**Rachel Kelly**; Administrative Support Assistant, Morgan Academic Support Center

**COMEBACKS**

- Penn State had arguably one of its most exciting seasons, posting a program-high four double-digit comebacks in 2016.
- The comeback trend started vs. Minnesota. Penn State trailed by 10 at halftime (13-3) but rallied to win 29-26 in overtime.
- Against Ohio State, Penn State trailed by 14 points entering the fourth quarter, but scored 17 unanswered to win.
- The Ohio State win marked the first time that PSU won when trailing going into the fourth quarter by 14 points since at least 1967. The Nittany Lions trailed Michigan State by 13 points (37-24) in 1993 entering the fourth quarter. Penn State won the game, 38-37.
- The Nittany Lions trailed by 10 points (24-14) in the third quarter at Indiana, but rallied to outscore the Hoosiers 31-7 over the final 16:09 for their third double-digit comeback of the season.
- The Nittany Lions' rallied from 21 points down with 5:31 remaining in the second quarter in the Big Ten Championship game. The Lions scored a touchdown before halftime to trail by 14 points at the break, and then outscored Wisconsin, 24-3 in the second half.
- The Big Ten Championship game comeback was the biggest for Penn State since rallying from a 21-0 deficit in the second quarter for a 35-21 win over Northwestern on Nov. 6, 2010.

**► SECOND HALF SUCCESS**

- The Nittany Lion offense ranked second in FBS in second half scoring (23.29) and third in fourth quarter scoring (11.86).
- Penn State led FBS in second half scoring differential (+14.00) and fourth quarter scoring differential (+6.71).

*Courtesy of SportSource Analytics*

- Penn State outscored its opponents in the second half, 326-130.
- In the final nine games of the season, Penn State outscored opponents 149-39 in the fourth quarter.
- Just 133 of the 356 points allowed by Penn State were after halftime.
- Seven of Penn State's 11 wins were either one possession games at halftime (six occasions) or Penn State was down by two scores (Big Ten Championship game). In total Penn State was trailing at halftime on four occasions.
- Penn State shut out four teams in the second half: Kent State, Maryland, Rutgers (entire game) and Michigan State.
- Only two teams outscored Penn State in the second half last season: Temple and Michigan. Those games were the third and fourth of the season.



Rising senior tight end Mike Gesicki broke the Penn State records for receiving yards (679), receptions (48) and touchdowns (5) by a tight end in 2016.

**BREAKING RECORDS**

- The Nittany Lions had a record-breaking 2016. All totaled, 31 school records were eclipsed or tied during the Big Ten Championship season.

**TEAM**

- Passing yards - 3,650 yards (3,278 in 2012)
- Total offense - 6,056 yards (5,863 in 2008)
- Points scored - 526 points (tied record set in 1994)
- Passing touchdowns - 29 touchdowns (25 in 2009)
- First downs via penalty - 29 (28 in 2014)

**TRACE MCSORLEY**

- Season passing yards - 3,614 (3,266; Matt McGloin, 2012)
- Season passing touchdowns - 29 (24; Daryll Clark, 2009 & McGloin, 2012)
- Season total offense - 3,979 (3,215; McGloin, 2012)
- Season touchdowns responsible for - 36 (31; Clark, 2009)
- Consecutive games with a TD pass in a season - 14 (12; McGloin, 2012)
- Consecutive games with a TD pass over multiple seasons - 15 (14; Kerry Collins, 1993-94)
- 300-yard passing games in a season - 5 (4; McGloin, 2012 & Christian Hackenberg, 2013 & 2014)
- 200-yard passing games in a season - 11 (tied record set by McGloin in 2012)
- Career yards per attempt - 8.90 (8.69; John Hufnagel, 1970-72)
- Career completion percentage - 57.1 (56.5; McGloin, 2009-12)
- Career interception percentage - 1.87 (2.02; Wally Richardson, 1992, 1994-96)
- Career passing efficiency - 152.09 (145.57; Mike McQueary, 1994-97)

**SAQUON BARKLEY**

- Sophomore season rushing yards - 1,496 (1,236; Evan Royster, 2008)
- Receiving yards by a RB in a season - 402 (349; Larry Johnson, 2002)
- All-purpose yards in a game by a sophomore - 306 vs. USC (265; Charlie Pittman vs. West Virginia, 1967)
- Sophomore season all-purpose yards - 1,972 (1,363; Curt Warner, 1980)
- Rushing touchdowns by a sophomore - 18 (14; Bull McCleary, 1907; Harry Robb, 1917 & Curtis Enis, 1996)
- Points in a season by a sophomore - 132 (96; Kevin Kelly, 2006)

**TYLER DAVIS**

- Field goal accuracy in a season - 91.7 (22-24) (83.3 (10-12); Brett Conway, 1994 & Joe Julius, 2015).
- Consecutive field goals made - 18 (15; Sam Ficken, 2012-13)
- Extra point accuracy in a season - 100.0 (62-62) (tied with eight others)
- Extra point accuracy in a career - 100.0 (73-73) (tied with Herb Menhardt, 54-54 from 1978-80 & Collin Wagner, 83-83 from 2007-10)
- Kicking points in a season - 128 (120; Kevin Kelly, 2008)
- Big Ten record kicking points in a season - 128 (tied record set by Ohio State's Sean Nuernberger, 2014)

**MIKE GESICKI**

- Receiving yards in a season by a TE - 679 (600; Mickey Shuler, 1977)
- Receptions in a season by a TE - 48 (41; Andrew Quarless, 2009)
- Touchdown receptions in a season by a TE - 5 (tied record set by Bob Parsons, 1971; Dan Natale, 1972 & Jesse James, 2012)

**3,500 & 1,000**

- Penn State was one of 11 FBS teams to boast a 3,500-yard passer (**Trace McSorley**) and a 1,000-yard rusher (**Saquon Barkley**) in 2016. Furthermore, Penn State was one of six teams in the Autonomy Five and the only Big Ten school to accomplish the feat last year.
- McSorley owns the Penn State season passing yards record at 3,614. Only two other Penn State quarterbacks eclipsed 3,000 yards passing in a single season: Matt McGloin (3,266 yds; 2012) and Daryll Clark (3,003 yds; 2009).
- Barkley tallied 1,496 rushing yards to rank fifth in program history. It was also the highest total by a Penn State back since Larry Johnson's record-breaking campaign in 2002.
- Penn State's other two seasons with a 3,000-yard passer also featured a 1,000-yard rusher. Zach Zwinak rushed for 1,000 yards in 2012 and Evan Royster totaled 1,169 yards in 2009.

**BARKLEY TABBED ALL-AMERICAN**

- Saquon Barkley** was named to the *Sporting News* All-America second team and the Associated Press, *Athlon* and *Phil Steele* All-America third teams.
- He is the first Penn State running back to garner All-America accolades since Larry Johnson captured first team laurels in 2002.
- He is also the first offensive player to take home All-America honors since Allen Robinson (first team) and John Urschel (third team) in 2013.

**BARKLEY CLAIMS BIG AWARDS**

- Saquon Barkley** was the 2016 Graham-George Big Ten Offensive Player of the Year and the 2016 Ameche-Dayne Big Ten Running Back of the Year.
- Barkley is the fourth Lion to win Big Ten Offensive Player of the Year, joining Kerry Collins (1994), Curtis Enis (1997) and Michael Robinson (2005).
- Barkley is the first Penn State player to win Running Back of the Year (award established in 2011) and the first sophomore to win it in Big Ten history.
- Barkley is the eighth sophomore to win Offensive Player of the Year in Big Ten history, most recently by Ohio State's Braxton Miller in 2012.
- He is one of 17 running backs to win Offensive Player of the Year in Big Ten history.
- Barkley is the third-straight running back to win Offensive Player of the Year (Melvin Gordon, WIS; Ezekiel Elliott, OSU).

**DAVIS WINS VLADE AWARD**

- Tyler Davis** was recognized as the NCAA's most accurate kicker, as he was named the winner of the 2016 Vlade Award presented by The Touchdown Club of Columbus.
- The award is named for former Ohio State kicker Vlade Janakievski, who was one of the most accurate placekickers in Ohio State football history.
- In 2016, Davis was perfect on 62 PAT attempts and accurate on 91.7 percent (22-of-24) of field goal tries, with both of his failed conversions coming on blocks.

**BARKLEY WINS CHICAGO TRIBUNE SILVER FOOTBALL**

- RB Saquon Barkley** added the illustrious *Chicago Tribune* Silver Football for the Big Ten's best player to his résumé. He shared the honor with Ohio State quarterback J.T. Barrett.
- Barkley is the fourth Lion to win the Silver Football and is the first since Daryll Clark shared the honor with Michigan defensive end Brandon Graham in 2009.
- Barkley is the first Penn State running back to win the award, joining quarterbacks Clark, Michael Robinson (2005) and Kerry Collins (1994) as Penn Staters to win the accolade.

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Led by rising junior running back Saquon Barkley and rising junior quarterback Trace McSorley, the Penn State offense set 21 season school records in 2016, including team marks for passing yards, points scored and total offense.

## FRANKLIN CLAIMS COACH OF THE YEAR HONORS

- Penn State head coach **James Franklin** was named the *Sporting News* National Coach of the Year, as well as the Woody Hayes National Coach of the Year.
- He is the second Penn State head coach to win the *Sporting News* honor, joining Joe Paterno, who claimed the award in 2005.
- Franklin joins Paterno as Penn State coaches to win the Woody Hayes Award. Paterno was a four-time recipient in 1978, 1982, 1986 and 2005.
- Franklin was also selected as the College Sports Madness National Coach of the Year. Additionally, he was a finalist for the 2016 Eddie Robinson Coach of the Year award as presented by the Football Writers Association of America and the Paul "Bear" Bryant Coach of the Year Award.
- Franklin earned his first conference Coach of the Year accolades, winning Big Ten Coach of the Year from the Associated Press and the conference's media.
- Franklin's Dave McLain Big Ten Coach of the Year marks the fifth time a Penn State head coach has won the honor, joining Paterno (1994, 2005, 2008) and Bill O'Brien (2012).

## ALL-BIG TEN TEAM - OFFENSE

- Sophomore **Saquon Barkley** was named to the All-Big Ten first team by the coaches and media, which made him a unanimous first team choice. It is his second career All-Big Ten honor (second team in 2015).
- Sophomore quarterback **Trace McSorley** garnered All-Big Ten second team accolades from both the coaches and the media. It was his first all-conference selection. McSorley is the first Penn State quarterback to earn All-Big Ten first or second team honors since Daryll Clark (first team) in 2009.
- Junior tight end **Mike Gesicki** was a second team selection by the media and honorable mention pick by the coaches. It's his first all-conference selection. He is the first Penn State tight end to earn All-Big Ten first or second team honors since Kyle Carter (first team) in 2012.
- Junior wide receiver **Chris Godwin** was an All-Big Ten third team honoree for the media and honorable mention for the coaches. It's his second career All-Big Ten honor (second team in 2015).
- Senior center **Brian Gaia** made the honorable mention list for the coaches and media for his first all-conference honors.

## ALL-BIG TEN TEAM - DEFENSE

- On defense, junior defensive end **Garrett Sickels** garnered second-team All-Big Ten accolades from the coaches and third-team honors from the media to lead the unit.
- Senior defensive end **Evan Schwan** was also a first-time all-conference pick, as he was selected to the All-Big Ten third team by both the coaches and media,
- Linebacker **Jason Cabinda** and safety **Marcus Allen** each claimed third team honors from the coaches and were named to the media's honorable mention team. It's their second all-conference selection, after an appearance on the honorable mention team (coaches and media) last season.
- Also on the Big Ten honorable mention squad were senior linebacker **Brandon Bell**, junior defensive tackle **Parker Cothren** and sophomore cornerback **John Reid**. It was the first selection for all three.

## ALL-BIG TEN TEAM - SPECIAL TEAMS

- Kicker **Tyler Davis** was selected to the All-Big Ten first team by the coaches and second team by the media. It was his first all-conference selection, and he is the first Nittany Lion kicker to earn first team honors since Kevin Kelly in 2008.
- True freshman punter **Blake Gillikin** was recognized as an honorable mention. He ranked third in the Big Ten with a punt average of 42.8 yards per punt and was also named an ESPN.com True Freshman All-American.
- Senior long snapper **Tyler Yazujian** was Penn State's sportsmanship selection.

## FRESHMEN ALL-AMERICANS

- A pair of Nittany Lions earned freshman All-America honors.
- Offensive lineman **Ryan Bates** was named to the *USA Today* Freshman All-America team, as well as the Football Writers Association of America Freshman All-America squad.
- Bates was one of two offensive linemen to start every game this season for the Nittany Lions. He started at left guard for the first 10 games of the season, but has moved out to left tackle for the final four games.
- Punter **Blake Gillikin** was named to the ESPN.com True Freshman All-America team. He ranked third in the Big Ten with a punt average of 42.8 yards per punt.

## BTN.COM ALL-FRESHMAN TEAM

- Four Nittany Lions were named to the *BTN.com* All-Freshman Team: G/T **Ryan Bates**, LB **Cam Brown**, P **Blake Gillikin** and DT **Kevin Givens**.
- An additional four were named honorable mentions: G **Connor McGovern**, DE **Shareef Miller**, RB **Miles Sanders** and DT **Robert Windsor**.

## YAZUJIAN NAMED ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICA

- For a second consecutive season, **Tyler Yazujian** was named to the *CoSIDA* Academic All-America™ team. He was a first team selection in 2016 after earning second team honors in 2015.
- Penn State football student-athletes have earned 65 *CoSIDA* Academic All-America selections all-time, the second-highest total among all Football Bowl Subdivision (FBS) institutions, trailing only Nebraska.
- Yazujian was honored for his performance in the classroom and on the field.
- A trio of Nittany Lions – **Tyler Yazujian**, **Grant Haley**, and **Brandon Smith** – were selected to the *CoSIDA* Academic All-District™
- Yazujian has a 3.87 grade point average in IST – security and risk analysis. In addition to his *CoSIDA* Academic All-American and All-District accolades, Yazujian is a two-time Big Ten Distinguished Scholar and three-time Academic All-Big Ten choice. He is a seven-time Dean's List selection and has two perfect 4.0 GPA semesters. He handled all of the long snapping duties each of the last three seasons.

## BARKLEY IN THE RECORD BOOKS

- Running back **Saquon Barkley** has placed his name in numerous places in the Penn State record books in two short seasons.
- His 1,496 rushing yards during his sophomore campaign rank fifth on the Penn State single-season charts.
- Barkley is in 12th place on Penn State's career rushing yardage list with 2,572 yards.
- Barkley's two rushing touchdowns in the Rose Bowl brought his season total to 18, which ranks tied for fifth place in the Penn State record books
- With 25 career rushing scores, Barkley is tied for 10th place in program history with Lenny Moore (1953-55), D.J. Dozier (1983-86) and Tony Hunt (2003-06).
- Barkley ranks tied for 12th with 10 career 100-yard games (five in 2015, five in 2016), including two 200-yard efforts. He is one of just eight Nittany Lions to post multiple 200-yard rushing games.

## McSORLEY = McRECORDS

- In addition to setting Penn State records for passing yards in a season, passing touchdowns in a season and total offense in a season, ranks sixth on Penn State's single-season pass completions list (224) and fifth in season pass attempts (387).
- McSorley had one of the most productive games by a Nittany Lion ever against Minnesota. He accounted for 408 yards of total offense -- 335 passing and 74 rushing -- to mark the third-highest total in school history. It was the most yards of total offense since Christian Hackenberg posted a school-record 454 yards against UCF in the 2014 Croke Park Classic vs. UCF. McSorley also had his longest career completion, an 80-yard touchdown to **Irvin Charles**.
- McSorley set Big Ten Championship game records for passing yards (384) and passing touchdowns (4).
- He became the first Penn State quarterback with three consecutive games with both a rushing touchdown and passing touchdown since Matt McGloin in 2012 (vs. Temple, at Illinois, vs. Northwestern).
- McSorley had four passing touchdowns in each of the final three games of the season. He joins Todd Blackledge (1982 – vs. Temple, Maryland, Rutgers) as the only Penn State quarterback to have at least four passing scores in three-straight games.

**RECORD-SETTING ROSE BOWL**

- The 2017 Rose Bowl will go down as one of the most entertaining and memorable games in Rose Bowl history as the USC Trojans topped the Nittany Lions, 52-49, on a last-second field goal.
- The Nittany Lions and Trojans combined for 101 points, the most in Rose Bowl history. It shatters the record of 83 points set by Oregon (45) and Wisconsin (38) in 2012.
- Penn State's 49 points are the most by a losing team in Rose Bowl history.
- Penn State set school bowl records for points in the second quarter (21), third quarter (28), first half points (21) and combined points (101).
- Penn State scored touchdowns on four consecutive offensive plays. The only other team to do that in the last 10 seasons was Southern Miss against Louisiana Tech in 2015. (per ESPN stats)
- Penn State had a Rose Bowl-record 28 points in the third quarter, besting the previous record of 27 by three teams.
- The Nittany Lions had seven touchdowns, which tied for third in Rose Bowl history.
- Penn State posted three of the 12 fastest scoring drives in Rose Bowl history (1st - 0:05; 7th - 0:11; 12th - 0:17).
- Penn State is the first team in Rose Bowl history to have a 175-yard rusher and receiver in a game with **Chris Godwin** recording 187 receiving yards and **Saquon Barkley** tallying 194 rushing yards.
- Penn State's 465 yards of total offense are fourth in the program's bowl history and were the most since the 1996 Outback Bowl (487).
- The Nittany Lions' 222 passing yards rank eighth in Penn State bowl history.
- Barkley rushed for 194 yards on 25 attempts, which was tied for seventh in Rose Bowl history.
- Barkley broke the Penn State bowl record for rushing yards (194), topping the mark for 186 set by Blair Thomas in the 1989 Holiday Bowl.
- Barkley's 7.8 yards per carry rank third in Penn State bowl history.
- Barkley's two rushing scores are tied for second in Penn State bowl history.
- Barkley's 79-yard rushing touchdown was the seventh-longest in Rose Bowl history and second-longest scoring run in Penn State bowl history.
- Barkley's 18 points scored rank tied for second in Penn State bowl history with Ki-Jana Carter's 1995 Rose Bowl performance.
- Barkley has 263 rushing yards in two career bowl games, which ranks third in Penn State bowl history.
- Trace McSorley** hit Godwin for a 72-yard touchdown pass in the third quarter. The scoring pass is tied for the third-longest in Rose Bowl history and tied for the longest in Penn State bowl history.
- Godwin had a pair of 72-yard touchdown catches in his bowl career at the Rose Bowl and the 2014 Pinstripe Bowl. The other 72-yard touchdown catch in Penn State bowl history was from Tom Shuman to Chuck Herd in the 1974 Orange Bowl.
- With nine catches, Godwin broke the Penn State career bowl receptions record with 22 catches in three bowl games, topping the mark of 16 held by Bobby Engram.
- Godwin added to his Penn State record for career receiving yards in bowl games and finished his career 460 yards in three bowl games.
- Godwin broke the Penn State record for receptions in a bowl game with nine catches, breaking the mark set by Andrew Quarless (8) in the 2010 Capital One Bowl.
- Godwin had a career-high 187 receiving yards on nine receptions to rank fourth in Rose Bowl history.
- Godwin's 187 yards broke the Penn State bowl receiving record, breaking the 154-yard performance by David Daniels in the 1990 Blockbuster Bowl. Godwin's effort ranks sixth in program single-game history.
- Godwin had three career bowl touchdown catches, which is tied

with Bobby Engram for the most in Penn State bowl history.

- McSorley had 254 yards on 18-of-29 passing, which is third in Penn State bowl history.
- McSorley's four passing scores are tied for second in Rose Bowl history and are tied with Tony Sacc (1992 Fiesta), Wally Richardson (1996 Outback) and Christian Hackenberg (2014 Pinstripe) for the most in Penn State bowl history.
- McSorley's five touchdowns responsible for (4 passing, 1 rushing) are tied for the most in Rose Bowl history and broke the Penn State bowl record.
- With 396 passing yards in two bowl games, McSorley ranks sixth on the Penn State bowl career charts and is second with six career touchdown passes in two bowl games.
- Tyler Davis** tied the Rose Bowl record for most extra points made with seven, which is a Penn State bowl record.
- Blake Gillikin** averaged 50.8 yards on five punts, which ranks third in Rose Bowl history and is tied for third in Penn State bowl history.

**NITTANY LIONS GRADUATE**

- Fifteen Penn State student-athletes earned their undergraduate degrees prior to the Rose Bowl.
- Seven student-athletes earned their degree prior to the start of the 2016 season. They were: **Derek Dowrey** (journalism/telecommunications), **Brian Gaia** (business management/labor and employment relations), **Malik Golden** (telecommunications/journalism), **Cody Hodgens** (exercise science at Florida International), **Wendy Laurent** (economics/labor and employment relations), **Evan Schwan** (economics) and **Nyeem Wartman-White** (telecommunications/journalism).
- Dowrey and Golden earned their second degrees in December.
- An additional eight Nittany Lions earned their undergraduate degrees in December. They were: **Brandon Bell** (telecommunications), **Gregg Garrity** (advertising and public relations), **Chris Gulla** (finance), **DaeSean Hamilton** (advertising and public relations), **Daniel Pasquariello** (economics), **Brandon Smith** (movement science), **Jordan Smith** (broadcast journalism) and **Von Walker** (advertising and public relations).

**AUTOMATIC DAVIS**

- Kicker **Tyler Davis** converted on his 22nd field goal of the season in the Big Ten Championship game, which put him in a tie for second on Penn State's single season chart with Matt Bahr (1978) and Kevin Kelly (2006).
- With seven points vs. USC in the Rose Bowl, Davis moved into fifth on the single season scoring charts (128).
- His 128 points on the season also tied the Big Ten's single season kick scoring record.
- Davis is also in 12th place on Penn State's all-time field goals made list with 30 career field goals.
- Davis led the Big Ten in field goal percentage (.917) and ranked second in field goals per game (1.57). The figures both rank in the top 20 in FBS at eighth and 17th, respectively.
- Davis is 30-for-32 in his career on field goal attempts, with both misses being blocks. He has also made all 73 of his PAT attempts.
- Davis had a career-high four field goals (32, 34, 40, 32) at Rutgers.
- Davis had his consecutive field goals streak snapped at 18 when his 39-yard attempt was blocked on the opening drive of the Ohio State game. It was the longest streak in school history and ranks tied for fourth in Big Ten history.
- The mark was previously held by Sam Ficken, who made 15 straight field goals between the 2012 and 2013 seasons.

**RECORD BREAKDOWN**

Overall Record .....	11-3
Day Games .....	.7-3
Night Games (6 p.m. or later) .....	.4-0
TV Games	
ABC .....	.3-1
BTN .....	.6-0
ESPN .....	.1-2
FOX .....	.1-0
Scoring First .....	.6-0
Opponent Scoring First .....	.5-3
Leading at the Half .....	.5-0
Trailing at the Half .....	.4-3
Tied at the Half .....	.2-0
Leading after Third Qtr. ....	.8-1
Trailing after Third Qtr. ....	.3-2
Tied after Third Qtr. ....	.0-0
Overtime Games .....	.1-0
Scoring less than 20 pts .....	.0-1
Scoring 20-29 points .....	.2-0
Scoring 30-39 Points .....	.5-1
Scoring 40+ Points .....	.4-1
Allowing 10 points or less .....	.1-0
Allowing 11-20 points .....	.4-0
Allowing 21-30 points .....	.4-0
Allowing 31+ points .....	.2-3
Rushing for less than 100 yds .....	.3-1
Rushing for 100-199 yds .....	.4-1
Rushing for 200-299 yds .....	.1-1
Rushing for 300+ yds .....	.3-0
Passing for less than 200 yds .....	.1-1
Passing for 200-299 yds .....	.6-1
Passing for 300-399 yds .....	.4-1
Passing for 400+ yds .....	.0-0
Totaling less than 300 yds total offense .....	.1-1
300-399 yds of total offense .....	.1-0
400-499 yds of total offense .....	.5-2
500+ yds of total offense .....	.4-0
Allowing less than 100 yds rushing .....	.4-0
Allowing more than 100 yds rushing .....	.7-3
Allowing less than 300 yds total offense .....	.4-0
Allowing 300+ yds total offense .....	.7-3
Having a 100-yd rusher .....	.4-1
Having two 100-yd rushers .....	.0-0
Not having a 100-yd rusher .....	.7-2
Opp. having a 100-yd rusher .....	.3-2
No turnovers .....	.4-0
1-3 turnovers .....	.6-1
3+ turnovers .....	.1-2
No takeaways .....	.3-1
1 or 2 takeaways .....	.5-2
3 or more takeaways .....	.3-0
More than 30:00 of possession .....	.4-0
Less than 30:00 of possession .....	.7-3

**PENN STATE'S WINS VS. LOSSES (AVG.)**

	Wins	Losses
Points Scored	38.9	32.7
First Downs	20.9	18.3
Total Offense	454.0	354.0
Rushing Yards	186.5	118.3
Passing Yards	267.5	235.7
Time of Possession	28:27	25:07
3rd Down Conv. Pct.	34%	25%
Points Allowed	19.4	47.7
Total Offense Allowed	329.9	507.3
Rushing Yds Allowed	120.8	263.0
Passing Yds Allowed	209.1	244.3

# 2017 PREVIEW

## BIG DEFENSIVE PERFORMANCES

- Penn State did not allow a touchdown in its last two regular-season Big Ten Conference games (Michigan State and Rutgers). The Nittany Lions yielded four field goals in the first half against the Spartans and shutout the Scarlet Knights.
- It is the first time since 2009 that Penn State has held teams out of the end zone in back-to-back games. It held Eastern Illinois to three points (October 10; 52-3) before shutting out Minnesota (October 17; 20-0) on Homecoming.
- Moreover, the last time Penn State held back-to-back Big Ten opponents without a touchdown was Oct. 21, 2006 (vs. Illinois; 26-12) and Oct. 28, 2006 (at Purdue; 12-0).
- Penn State shutout Rutgers 39-0 for its first shutout since a 39-0 home victory over Illinois in 2015. The last time Penn State shutout an opponent in back-to-back seasons was 2009 and 2010.
- The 39-point shutout win was Penn State's largest road shutout victory since joining the Big Ten in 1993.
- It was the largest road shutout since blanking Navy, 39-0, in 1973.
- It was Penn State's seventh Big Ten shutout (against 6 different teams) and the first time doing so in consecutive seasons:

### Big Ten Shutouts

- 1993, 31-0 at Iowa
- 1998, 27-0 vs. Illinois
- 2002, 49-0 vs. Northwestern
- 2006, 12-0 at Purdue
- 2009, 20-0 vs. Minnesota
- 2015, 39-0 vs. Illinois

### 2016, 39-0 at Rutgers

- The Nittany Lions allowed just 87 yards of offense to the Scarlet Knights, the fewest given up in a Big Ten game by a Penn State team.
- The 87 yards allowed were the fewest in a game overall since giving up 74 yards versus Temple in 2006.
- Penn State gave up just five first downs to Rutgers, the fewest surrendered in a Big Ten game in program history.
- The five first downs allowed were the fewest in any game since giving up two first downs versus Temple in 2006.
- Penn State posted its first first-half shutout of the season at Rutgers.

## RANKING THE WIN OVER NO. 2 OHIO STATE

- The Nittany Lions claimed an electrifying 24-21 win over No. 2 Ohio State on Oct. 22 thanks to a 60-yard blocked field goal return by **Grant Haley**.
- Penn State defeated a top-2 team for the first time since winning at No. 1 Notre Dame, 24-21, in 1990.
- Penn State had not beaten a top-2 team at home since beating No. 2 Nebraska, 27-24, in 1982.
- The last and only other time Penn State had defeated a top-2 team when it was unranked was Nov. 7, 1964 when it defeated No. 2 Ohio State in Columbus, 27-0.
- The highest ranked team Penn State had defeated at home when it was unranked was No. 3 Alabama, 34-28, on Oct. 8, 1983.
- The last time Penn State defeated a Top 5 team when it was unranked was two weeks after the Alabama win in 1983, as the Nittany Lions downed No. 5 West Virginia, 41-23, on Oct. 22, 1983.
- PSU had not defeated a Top 5 team since beating No. 4 Arizona in the Pigskin Classic, 41-0, in 1999.
- Penn State beat a ranked opponent for the first time since No. 14 Wisconsin, 31-24, in 2013, and did so at home for the first time since No. 18 Michigan, 43-40, in four overtimes on Oct. 12, 2013.
- It was head coach **James Franklin**'s second win over a ranked opponent and his first with Penn State. He guided Vanderbilt past No. 15 Georgia.

## WILD DOGS RELOAD

- Penn State led the nation in sacks in 2015 but lost three defensive linemen to the NFL. However, several Nittany Lions stepped up to fill the void.
- The Wild Dogs helped Penn State finish seventh in FBS and second in the Big Ten in tackles for loss with 8.1 per game, led by **Garrett Sickels**' 12.5 TFLs.
- Ironically enough, the very first game without the missing pieces from 2015 resulted in a feat not accomplished since 2011, as seven different Nittany Lions totaled seven sacks against Kent State. Penn State last registered seven sacks in a game at Northwestern in 2011.
- Sickels and **Evan Schwan** tied for the team lead with 6.0 sacks en route to All-Big Ten recognition.
- Sickels had career highs in tackles (9), sacks (2.5) and TFLs (3.5) against Ohio State.
- Schwan posted a sack in three consecutive games (Minnesota, Maryland, Ohio State).
- Schwan had his first career quarterback takedown vs. Minnesota in overtime, forcing the Gophers to kick a field goal. Schwan assisted on a fourth-down sack of J.T. Barrett to ice the win against Ohio State.
- Defensive tackle **Parker Cothren** had 24 tackles, including 5.5 behind the line and 2.0 sacks and was All-Big Ten honorable mention.

## NATIONAL NITS

Below is a list of Penn State players that rank among the top-100 individuals and top-50 teams in the most recent season statistical rankings. *Rankings listed NCAA/Big Ten*

- S Marcus Allen
  - Fumbles Recovered - 2 (30/3)
  - Total Tackles - 7.9 (93/16)
- RB Saquon Barkley
  - All-Purpose - 140.86 (21/1)
  - Points Responsible For - 132 (60/5)
  - Points Responsible For Per Game - 9.4 (87/8)
  - Rush Yards Per Carry - 5.50 (58/4)
  - Rushing Touchdowns - 18 (7/1)
  - Rushing Yards - 1,496 (14/2)
  - Rushing Yards Per Game - 106.9 (24/2)
  - Scoring - 9.4 (12/1)
  - Total Points Scored - 132 (7/1)
  - Total Touchdowns - 22 (5/1)
- DE Torrence Brown
  - Fumbles Recovered - 2 (30/3)
- K Tyler Davis
  - Field Goal Percentage - .917 (8/1)
  - Field Goals Per Game - 1.57 (17/2)
  - Points Responsible For - 128 (67/8)
  - Points Responsible For Per Game - 9.1 (98/9)
  - Scoring - 9.1 (19/2)
  - Total Points Scored - 128 (11/2)
- P Blake Gillikin
  - Punting - 42.8 (30/3)

- DT Kevin Givens
  - Fumbles Recovered - 2 (30/3)
- WR Chris Godwin
  - Receiving TDs - 11 (22/2)
  - Receiving Yards - 982 (40/3)
  - Receiving Yards Per Game - 70.1 (63/4)
  - Total Touchdowns - 11 (94/9)
  - Yards Per Reception - 16.64 (54/3)
- QB Trace McSorley
  - Completion Percentage - .579 (76/6)
  - Completions Per Game - 16.0 (70/6)
  - Passing Efficiency - 156.9 (13/1)
  - Passing TDs - 29 (18/1)
  - Passing Yards - 3,614 (13/1)
  - Passing Yards Per Game - 258.1 (29/3)
  - Passing Yards Per Completion - 16.13 (1/1)
  - Points Responsible For - 218 (16/1)
  - Points Responsible For Per Game - 15.6 (27/1)
  - Total Offense - 284.2 (25/1)
  - Yards Per Pass Attempt - 9.34 (6/1)
- CB John Reid
  - Punt Returns - 7.5 (39/3)
- RB Miles Sanders
  - Combined Kick Returns - 688 (30/3)
  - Kickoff Returns - 20.8 (84/7)
- WR DeAndre Thompkins
  - Yards Per Reception - 16.30 (70/4)
- TEAM
  - Fewest Penalties - 68 (39/7)
  - Fewest Penalties Per Game - 4.86 (21/5)
  - Fewest Penalty Yards - 622 (41/7)
  - Fewest Penalty Yards Per Game - 44.43 (41/6)
  - First Down Offense - 285 (47/2)
  - Passes Had Intercepted - 8 (21/4)
  - Passing Offense - 260.7 (36/3)
  - Passing Yards per Completion - 16.15 (5/1)
  - Red Zone Offense - .866 (43/5)
  - Sacks Allowed - 1.71 (41/5)
  - Scoring Offense - 37.6 (21/3)
  - Team Passing Efficiency - 156.6 (14/1)
  - Total Offense - 432.6 (49/2)
  - Winning Percentage - .786 (8/2)
  - 4th Down Conversion Pct Defense - .381 (22/4)
  - Blocked Kicks - 3 (23/4)
  - Blocked Punts - 2 (8/3)
  - Defensive TDs - 3 (19/2)
  - Fumbles Recovered - 11 (24/2)
  - Kickoff Return Defense - 18.82 (28/4)
  - Passing Yards Allowed - 216.6 (50/11)
  - Rushing Defense - 151.3 (48/8)
  - Scoring Defense - 25.4 (47/8)
  - Team Passing Efficiency Defense - 124.19 (44/9)
  - Team Sacks - 2.86 (19/3)
  - Team Tackles for Loss - 8.1 (7/2)
  - Total Defense - 367.9 (37/8)

## 2017 SQUAD BREAKDOWN

## LETTERMEN RETURNING FROM 2016 [45]

<b>Offense (18)</b>	
<b>Quarterback</b>	Trace McSorley
<b>Offensive Line</b>	Ryan Bates, Steven Gonzalez, Brendan Mahon, Connor McGovern, Andrew Nelson, Zach Simpson, Chasz Wright
<b>Tight End/H</b>	Mike Gesicki, Jonathan Holland, Tom Pancoast
<b>Running Back</b>	Saquon Barkley, Miles Sanders
<b>Receiver</b>	Saeed Blacknall, Irvin Charles, DaeSean Hamilton, Juwan Johnson, DeAndre Thompkins
<b>Defense (24)</b>	
<b>End</b>	Torrence Brown, Ryan Buchholz, Shareef Miller
<b>Tackle</b>	Tyrell Chavis, Curtis Cothran, Parker Cothren, Kevin Givens, Robert Windsor
<b>Linebacker</b>	Manny Bowen, Cam Brown, Jason Cabinda, Jake Cooper, Koa Farmer, Jarvis Miller, Brandon Smith
<b>Cornerback</b>	Christian Campbell, Grant Haley, Amani Oruwariye, John Reid
<b>Safety</b>	Marcus Allen, Troy Apke, Ayron Monroe, Nick Scott, Garrett Taylor
<b>Specialists (3)</b>	
<b>Placekicker</b>	Tyler Davis, Joe Julius
<b>Punter</b>	Blake Gillikin

## LETTERMEN RETURNING FROM 2016 [4]

<b>Offense (3)</b>	
<b>Offensive Line</b>	Noah Beh
<b>Running Back</b>	Mark Allen
<b>Receiver</b>	Brandon Polk
<b>Special Teams (1)</b>	
<b>Punter</b>	Daniel Pasquariello

## LETTERMEN LOST FROM 2016 [17]

<b>Offense (5)</b>	
<b>Offensive Line</b>	Tom Devenney, Derek Dowrey, Brian Gaia, Paris Palmer
<b>Receiver</b>	Chris Godwin
<b>Defense (9)</b>	
<b>End</b>	Evan Schwan, Garrett Sickels
<b>Tackle</b>	Antoine White
<b>Linebacker</b>	Brandon Bell, Von Walker, Nyem Wartman-White
<b>Cornerback</b>	Kyle Alston, Jordan Smith
<b>Safety</b>	Malik Golden
<b>Special Teams (3)</b>	
<b>Punter/Holder</b>	Chris Gulla
<b>Long Snapper</b>	Zach Ladonis, Tyler Yazujian

## STARTERS BREAKDOWN

## STARTERS RETURNING [19]

(Number of 2016 starts in parenthesis)

<b>Offense (9):</b>	Saquon Barkley, RB (14); Ryan Bates, OL (14); Saeed Blacknall, WR (7); Mike Gesicki, TE/H (14); DaeSean Hamilton, WR (13); Brendan Mahon, OL (9); Connor McGovern, OL (9); Trace McSorley, QB (14); Andrew Nelson, OL (6)
<b>Defense (7):</b>	Marcus Allen, S (14); Jason Cabinda, LB (9); John Reid, CB (14); Parker Cothren, DT (13); Manny Bowen, LB (12); Grant Haley, CB (11); Curtis Cothren, DT (8)
<b>Specialists (3):</b>	Tyler Davis, K (14); Joe Julius, KO (14); Blake Gillikin, P (14)

## STARTERS LOST [7]

(Number of 2016 starts in parenthesis)

<b>Offense (2):</b>	Brian Gaia, OL (14); Chris Godwin, WR (14)
<b>Defense (4):</b>	Brandon Bell, LB (10); Malik Golden, S (13); Evan Schwan, DE (12); Garrett Sickels, DE (12)
<b>Special Teams (1):</b>	Tyler Yazujian, LS (14)

## OTHER RETURNEES WITH STARTING EXPERIENCE [17]

(Number of career starts in parenthesis)

<b>Offense (6):</b>	Mark Allen, RB (1); Steven Gonzalez, OL (2); Juwan Johnson, WR (1); Brandon Polk, WR (3); DeAndre Thompkins, WR (6); Chasz Wright, OL (4)
<b>Defense (10):</b>	Troy Apke, S (2); Cam Brown, LB (2); Torrence Brown, DE (4); Christian Campbell, CB (4); Jake Cooper, LB (3); Koa Farmer, LB (2); Kevin Givens, DT (6); Nick Scott, S (1); Brandon Smith, LB (2); Robert Windsor, DT (1)
<b>Specialists (1):</b>	Daniel Pasquariello, P (9)

## LETTERMEN AT A GLANCE

<b>Offense</b>	Returning:	18	Lost:	5
<b>Defense</b>	Returning:	24	Lost:	9
<b>Specialists</b>	Returning:	3	Lost:	3
<b>Total</b>	Returning:	45	Lost:	17

## STARTERS AT A GLANCE

<b>Offense</b>	Returning:	9	Lost:	2
<b>Defense</b>	Returning:	7	Lost:	4
<b>Specialists</b>	Returning:	3	Lost:	1
<b>Total</b>	Returning:	19	Lost:	7



Rising sophomore offensive lineman Ryan Bates was one of two players to start every game on the offensive line in 2016. He was named a Freshman All-American by USA Today and the Football Writers Association of America.



Rising senior cornerback Grant Haley made two of the more notable plays for the Nittany Lions during the 2016. He scooped up Marcus Allen's blocked field goal and returned it 60 yards for the game-winning touchdown versus No. 2 Ohio State. He also stopped Corey Clement on fourth down in the Big Ten Championship game to seal the win.

# ROSTERS

## 2017 ROSTERS

### NUMERICAL ROSTER

1	Campbell, Christian ***	CB
1	Hamler, KJ	WR
2	Allen, Marcus ***	S
2	Stevens, Tommy	QB
3	Thompson, DeAndre **	WR
4	Scott, Nick **	S
5	Hamilton, DaeSean ***	WR
6	Robinson, Andre	RB
7	Farmer, Koa **	LB
7	Zembiec, Jake	QB
8	Allen, Mark *	RB
9	McSorley, Trace **	QB
9	Miller, Jarvis *	LB
10	Polk, Brandon *	WR
12	Davis, Desi	CB
11	Charles, Irvin *	WR
13	Blacknall, Saeed ***	WR
14	McPearson, Zech	CB
15	Haley, Grant ***	CB
15	Shuster, Michael	QB
16	Fessler, Billy	QB
16	Petrishen, John	S
17	Taylor, Garrett *	S
18	Holland, Jonathan *	TE/H
19	Brown, Torrence **	DE
20	Butler, Jabari	CB
20	Thomas, Johnathan	RB
21	Oruwariye, Amani **	CB
23	Monroe, Ayron *	S
24	Sanders, Miles *	RB
25	Faison-Walden, Brelin	LB
26	Barkley, Saquon **	RB
27	Johnson, T.J.	CB
28	Apke, Troy ***	S
29	Reid, John **	CB
30	Givens, Kevin *	DT
31	Brown, Cam *	LB
31	Welde, Christopher	WR
32	Vallone, Mitchell	S
33	Cooper, Jake **	LB
34	Simmons, Shane	DE
36	Johnson, Jan	LB
36	Shorts, Troy	S
38	Wade, Lamont	CB
39	Di Leo, Frank	LB
39	McPearson, Josh	RB
40	Cabinda, Jason ***	LB
40	Eury, Nick	RB
41	Cothren, Parker ***	DT
42	Jordan, Ellison	DT
43	Bowen, Manny **	LB
44	Toney, Shaka	DE

### ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Cl./El.	Ht.	Wt.	High School or C.C./Coach	Hometown
2	Allen, Marcus ***	S	Sr./Sr.	6-2	206	Dr. Henry A. Wise, Jr./Dalaown Parrish	Upper Marlboro, Md.
8	Allen, Mark *	RB	Sr./Jr.	5-6	181	DeMatha/Elijah Brooks	Hyattsville, Md.
28	Apke, Troy ***	S	Sr./Sr.	6-1	212	Mount Lebanon/Mike Melnyk	Mt. Lebanon, Pa.
90	Barbir, Alex	K	So./Fr.	5-9	195	South Forsyth/Jeff Arnette	Cumming, Ga.
26	Barkley, Saquon **	RB	Jr./Jr.	5-11	225	Whitehall/Brian Gilbert	Coplay, Pa.
52	Bates, Ryan *	OL	Jr./So.	6-4	312	Archbishop Wood/Steve Devlin	Warrington, Pa.
13	Blacknall, Saeed ***	WR	Sr./Sr.	6-3	212	Manalapan/Ed Gurrieri	Manalapan, N.J.
47	Blair, Will	S	So./Fr.	5-11	221	Hempfield/Ron Zeiber	Lancaster, Pa.
43	Bowen, Manny **	LB	Jr./Jr.	6-1	224	Barnegat/Rob Davis	Barnegat, N.J.
83	Bowers, Nick	TE/H	Jr./So.	6-4	269	Kittanning Senior/Frank Fabian	Kittanning, Pa.
31	Brown, Cam *	LB	So./So.	6-5	224	The Bullis School/Patrick Cilento	Burtonsville, Md.
19	Brown, Torrence **	DE	Sr./Jr.	6-3	259	Tuscaloosa Academy/Robert Johnson	Tuscaloosa, Ala.
97	Buchholz, Ryan *	DE	Jr./So.	6-6	276	Great Valley/Dan Ellis	Malvern, Pa.
20	Butler, Jabari	CB	Jr./Jr.	5-11	180	Abilene Christian University/Ken Collums	Potomac, Md.
40	Cabinda, Jason ***	LB	Sr./Sr.	6-1	239	Hunterdon Central/Matthew Perotti	Flemington, N.J.
1	Campbell, Christian ***	CB	Sr./Sr.	6-1	191	Central/Woodrow Lowe	Phenix City, Ala.
46	Castagna, Colin	DE	Jr./Jr.	6-4	259	Barrington/Joe Sanchez	Barrington, Ill.
11	Charles, Irvin *	WR	Jr./So.	6-4	227	Paul VI/John Doherty	Sicklerville, N.J.
56	Chavis, Tyrell *	DT	Sr./Sr.	6-3	312	Nassau C.C./Joe Osoviet	Richmond, Va.
33	Cooper, Jake **	LB	Jr./Jr.	6-1	225	Archbishop Wood/Steve Devlin	Doylestown, Pa.
52	Cothran, Curtis **	DT	Sr./Jr.	6-5	293	Council Rock North/Adam Collachi	Newtown, Pa.
41	Cothren, Parker ***	DT	Sr./Jr.	6-4	302	Hazel Green/Matthew Putnam	Huntsville, Ala.
80	Dalton, Danny	TE/H	So./Fr.	6-4	242	Marshfield/Lou Silva	Marshfield, Mass.
87	Darien, Dae'Lun	WR	So./Fr.	6-4	211	Dunbar/Lawrence Smith	Baltimore, Md.
12	Davis, Desi	CB	Sr./Jr.	5-11	175	Harriton/Matthew Bahr	Ardmore, Pa.
95	Davis, Tyler **	K/P	Sr./Jr.	5-11	195	North/--	St. Charles, Ill.
39	Di Leo, Frank	LB	Jr./So.	5-9	218	Saint Ignatius College Prep/John O'Connor	Elmhurst, Ill.
45	DuMond, Joe	LB	So./So.	5-10	240	St. Joseph's Prep/Gabe Infante	Philadelphia, Pa.
40	Eury, Nick	RB	So./Fr.	5-9	214	Lake-Lehman/Jerry Gilsky	Shavertown, Pa.
25	Faison-Walden, Brelin	LB	Fr./Fr.	6-1	208	Grimsley/Darrel Brown	Greensboro, N.C.
7	Farmer, Koa **	LB	Sr./Jr.	6-1	230	Notre Dame/Kevin Rooney	Lake View Terrace, Calif.
16	Fessler, Billy	QB	Sr./Jr.	5-11	187	Erie Cathedral Prep/Mike Mischler	Erie, Pa.
71	Fries, Will	OL	So./Fr.	6-6	312	Cranford/Erik Rosenmeier	Cranford, N.J.
51	Gellerstedt, Alex	OL	So./Fr.	6-6	308	Dublin Coffman/Mark Crabtree	Dublin, Ohio
88	Gesicki, Mike ***	TE/H	Sr./Sr.	6-6	253	Southern Regional/Chuck Donahue	Manahawkin, N.J.
93	Gillikin, Blake *	P/K	So./So.	6-2	198	The Westminster Schools/Gerry Romberg	Smyrna, Ga.
30	Givens, Kevin *	DT	Jr./So.	6-1	281	Altoona Area/John Franco	Altoona, Pa.
57	Gonzalez, Steven *	OL	Jr./So.	6-4	345	Union City/Wil Valdez	Union City, N.J.
81	Grampp, Steven	TE/H	So./Fr.	6-3	220	East Stroudsburg North/Chuck Dailey	East Stroudsburg, Pa.
15	Haley, Grant ***	CB	Sr./Sr.	5-9	183	The Lovett School/Mike Muschamp	Atlanta, Ga.
5	Hamilton, DaeSean ***	WR	Gr./Sr.	6-1	208	Mountain View/Lou Sorrentino	Fredericksburg, Va.
1	Hamler, KJ	WR	Fr./Fr.	5-9	170	IMG Academy (Fla.)/Kevin Wright	Pontiac, Mich.
86	Hodgens, Cody	WR	Gr./Jr.	5-7	164	Robinson/Mike DePue	Wesley Chapel, Fla.
18	Holland, Jonathan *	TE/H	Jr./So.	6-4	247	The Bullis School/Patrick Cilento	Brandywine, Md.
96	Iyke, Immanuel	DT	Jr./So.	6-2	273	Parsippany Hills/Dave Albano	Hackettstown, N.J.
76	Jenkins, Sterling	OL	Jr./So.	6-8	337	Baldwin/Pete Wagner	Pittsburgh, Pa.
36	Johnson, Jan	LB	Jr./So.	6-2	233	Governor Mifflin/Dominic Vecchio	Mohnonton, Pa.
84	Johnson, Juwan *	WR	Jr./So.	6-4	225	Glassboro/Mark Maccarone	Glassboro, N.J.
27	Johnson, T.J.	CB	So./Fr.	6-2	188	Euclid/Jeff Rotsky	Cleveland, Ohio
42	Jordan, Ellison	DT	So./Fr.	6-0	290	Gilman School/Biff Poggi	Upper Marlboro, Md.
49	Joseph, Daniel	DE	So./Fr.	6-3	256	Lake Forest Academy (Ill.)/Robin Bowkett	Brampton, Ontario, Canada
99	Julius, Joey **	K	Sr./Jr.	5-10	258	Lower Dauphin/Rob Klock	Hummelstown, Pa.
68	Kelly, Hunter	OL	So./Fr.	6-2	291	Neshaminy/Steve Wilmot	Langhorne, Pa.
85	Lutz, Isaac	WR	So./Fr.	5-11	182	Berks Catholic/Rick Keeley	Reading, Pa.
70	Mahon, Brendan ***	OL	Sr.^/Sr.	6-4	310	Randolph/Joe Lusardi	Randolph, N.J.
89	Maxwell, Colton	WR	So./Fr.	6-0	182	Northampton/Mark Scisly	Northampton, Pa.

## 2017 ROSTERS

## ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Cl./El.	Ht.	Wt.	High School or C.C./Coach	Hometown
66	McGovern, Connor *	OL	So./So.	6-5	312	Lake-Lehman/Jerry Gilsky	Larksville, Pa.
39	McPearson, Josh	RB	Sr./Jr.	5-10	194	Annapolis Area Christian/Ken Lucas	Columbia, Md.
14	McPearson, Zech	CB	So./Fr.	5-11	180	Riverdale Baptist School/Caesar Nettles	Columbia, Md.
9	McSorley, Trace **	QB	Sr./Jr.	6-0	204	Briar Woods/Charlie Pierce	Ashburn, Va.
62	Menet, Michal	OL	So./Fr.	6-4	306	Exeter Township Senior/Matt Bauer	Birdsboro, Pa.
9	Miller, Jarvis *	LB	Jr./So.	6-2	220	Windsor Locks/Suffield/East Granby/Jason Qua	Suffield, Conn.
48	Miller, Shareef *	DE	Jr./So.	6-5	261	George Washington/Ronald Cohen	Philadelphia, Pa.
73	Miranda, Mike	OL	Fr./Fr.	6-3	295	Stow-Munroe Falls/Mark Nori	Stow, Ohio
91	Monk, Ryan	DT	Jr./So.	6-1	285	Dallas/Bob Zaruta	Dallas, Pa.
23	Monroe, Ayron *	S	Jr./So.	5-11	212	Saint Johns College H.S./Joe Patterson	Largo, Md.
59	Nelson, Andrew ***	OL	Sr.^/Sr.	6-6	305	Hershey/Mark Painter	Hershey, Pa.
21	Oruwarie, Amani **	CB	Sr./Jr.	6-1	211	Gaither/Jason Stokes	Tampa, Fla.
89	Panocast, Tom *	TE/H	Sr.^/Sr.	6-3	240	Unionville/Pat Clark	West Chester, Pa.
92	Pasquariello, Daniel **	P	Gr./Sr.	6-1	204	Xavier College HS/	Melbourne, Australia
16	Petrisken, John	S	Jr./So.	6-0	207	Pittsburgh Central Catholic/Terry Totten	Lower Burrell, Pa.
10	Polk, Brandon *	WR	Jr./Jr.	5-9	180	Briar Woods/Charlie Pierce	Ashburn, Va.
29	Reid, John **	CB	Jr./Jr.	5-10	189	St. Joseph's Prep/Gabe Infante	Mount Laurel, N.J.
6	Robinson, Andre	RB	Jr./So.	5-9	218	Bishop McDevitt/Jeff Weachter	Mechanicsburg, Pa.
24	Sanders, Miles *	RB	So./So.	5-11	220	Woodland Hills/George Novak	Pittsburgh, Pa.
4	Scott, Nick **	S	Sr./Jr.	5-11	200	Fairfax/Kevin Simonds	Fairfax, Va.
55	Shelton, Antonio	DT	So./Fr.	6-2	305	Westerville-North/Rodger Elander	Westerville, Ohio
82	Shoop, Tyler	WR	Jr./So.	5-11	186	Father Ryan/Bruce Lussier	Nashville, Tenn.
36	Shorts, Troy	S	Jr./So.	5-10	194	Woodbury/AI Mailahn	Sicklerville, N.J.
79	Shuman, Charlie	OL	Sr./Jr.	6-8	304	Pittsford Sutherland/Keith Molinich	Pittsford, N.Y.
15	Shuster, Michael	QB	So./Fr.	6-2	211	Camp Hill/Frank Gay	Camp Hill, Pa.
34	Simmons, Shane	DE	So./Fr.	6-3	244	DeMatha/Elijah Brooks	Laurel, Md.
64	Simpson, Zach *	OL	Jr./So.	6-3	298	Hollidaysburg Area/Homer DeLatre	Hollidaysburg, Pa.
47	Smith, Brandon *	LB	Gr./Sr.	6-0	232	Lewisburg/Jeremy Winn	Winfield, Pa.
2	Stevens, Tommy	QB	Jr./So.	6-4	224	Decatur Central/Justin Dixon	Indianapolis, Ind.
17	Taylor, Garrett *	S	Jr./So.	6-0	200	Saint Christopher's/Lance Clelland	Richmond, Va.
20	Thomas, Johnathan	RB	Sr./Jr.	5-11	218	St. John's Prep/Jim O'Leary	Peabody, Mass.
3	Thompson, DeAndre **	WR	Sr./Jr.	5-11	193	Swansboro/Tim Laspada	Hubert, N.C.
44	Toney, Shaka	DE	So./Fr.	6-3	222	Imhotep Charter/Albie Crosby	Philadelphia, Pa.
32	Vallone, Mitchell	S	Sr./Jr.	5-9	204	Elk County Catholic/Travis Skrzypek	Johnsonburg, Pa.
96	Vasey, Kyle	SN	Sr./Jr.	6-2	248	Wallenpaupack/Mark Watson	Hawley, Pa.
51	Vranic, Jason	LB	Sr./Jr.	6-0	216	Erie C.C./Scott Pilkey	Wheatfield, N.Y.
38	Wade, Lamont	CB	Fr./Fr.	5-9	193	Clairton/Wayne Wade	Clairton, Pa.
31	Welde, Christopher	WR	Jr./So.	5-7	170	Council Rock North/Adam Collachi	Newtown, Pa.
54	Windsor, Robert *	DT	Jr./So.	6-4	295	Fond Du Lac/Mike Gnewuch	Fond Du Lac, Wis.
98	Wombacker, Jordan	K/P	Jr./So.	5-10	175	Hickory/Bill Brest	Hermitage, Pa.
77	Wright, Chasz **	OL	Sr./Jr.	6-7	354	Milford Academy/Bill Chaplick	Woodbridge, Va.
7	Zembiec, Jake	QB	So./Fr.	6-3	209	Aquinas Institute/Chris Battaglia	Rochester, N.Y.

\* - Letters won

^ - 5th-year senior

Roster as of March 21, 2017

## PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Troy Apke	.Troy App-KEY
Saquon Barkley	.SAY-kwon Barkley
Saeed Blacknall	.Sah-eed Black-NALL
Ryan Buchholz	.Ryan BUCK-holez
Colin Castagna	.Colin CAST-on-yah (like lasagna)
Tyrell Chavis	.TIE-rell CHAY-viss
Curtis Cothran	.Curtis CAW-thren
Parker Cothren	.Parker CAW-thren
Dae'Lun Darien	.DAY-lawn Darien
Brelin Faison-Walden	.BREY-lynn FACE-in Walden
Koa Farmer	.CO-uh Farmer
Will Fries	.Will FRY-z

Mike Gesicki	.Mike Guh-sick-E
DaeSean Hamilton	.DAY-shawn Hamilton
Brendan Mahon	.Brendan MANN
Zech McPearson	.Zack McPearson
Michael Menet	.Michael men-NET
Ayron Monroe	.AIR-en Monroe
Amani Oruwarie	.UH-monn-E O-rue-waa-ee-A
Daniel Pasquariello	.Daniel pass-KAH-rello
Chris Welde	.Chris WELL-dee
Jake Zembiec	.Jake ZEM-beck

## NUMERICAL ROSTER

45	DuMond, Joe	LB
46	Castagna, Colin	DE
47	Blair, Will	S
47	Smith, Brandon *	LB
48	Miller, Shareef *	DE
49	Joseph, Daniel	DE
51	Gellerstedt, Alex	OL
51	Vranic, Jason	LB
52	Bates, Ryan *	OL
52	Cothran, Curtis **	DT
54	Windsor, Robert *	DT
55	Shelton, Antonio	DT
56	Chavis, Tyrell *	DT
57	Gonzalez, Steven *	OL
59	Nelson, Andrew ***	OL
62	Menet, Michal	OL
64	Simpson, Zach *	OL
66	McGovern, Connor *	OL
68	Kelly, Hunter	OL
70	Mahon, Brendan ***	OL
71	Fries, Will	OL
73	Miranda, Mike	OL
76	Jenkins, Sterling	OL
77	Wright, Chasz **	OL
79	Shuman, Charlie	OL
80	Dalton, Danny	TE/H
81	Grampp, Steven	TE/H
82	Shoop, Tyler	WR
83	Bowers, Nick	TE/H
84	Johnson, Juwan *	WR
85	Lutz, Isaac	WR
86	Hodgens, Cody	WR
87	Darien, Dae'Lun	WR
88	Gesicki, Mike ***	TE/H
89	Maxwell, Colton	WR
89	Panocast, Tom *	TE/H
90	Barbir, Alex	K
91	Monk, Ryan	DT
92	Pasquariello, Daniel **	P
93	Gillikin, Blake *	P/K
95	Davis, Tyler **	K/P
96	Iyke, Immanuel	DT
96	Vasey, Kyle	SN
97	Buchholz, Ryan *	DE
98	Wombacker, Jordan	K/P
99	Julius, Joe **	K

## PLAYER BIOS



### 2 MARCUS ALLEN

6-2 ► 206 ► Sr./Sr. Eligible  
Safety ► Upper Marlboro, Md.  
Criminology

#### » 2016

**Awards:** Named to *Phil Steele's* and the *Athlon Sports* All-Big Ten third team...Selected All-Big Ten third team by the conference coaches...Earned All-Big Ten honorable mention from the media panel...Selected Big Ten Co-Defensive Player of the Week on Oct. 3 for his 22-tackle effort vs. Minnesota on Oct. 1...Earned Rose Bowl Game Big Ten Player of the Week on Oct. 3 for his efforts vs. the Golden Gophers...Earned Co-Big Ten Special Teams Player of the Week for his blocked field goal attempt vs. No. 2 Ohio State (10/22), sharing with teammate Grant Haley.

**Season:** Started all 14 games...Posted three games with 10-plus tackles this season...Made a career-high 110 tackles...Is the first safety to lead the team in tackles since James Boyd (109) in 2000...Tallied the most tackles by a Penn State safety in a season since at least 1969...His 22 tackles vs. Minnesota were the most by a Penn State player since Paul Posluszny made 22 stops at Northwestern in 2005...The 22 stops are tied with Posluszny and Ron Crosby (vs. Ohio, 1974) for No. 4 on the Penn State single-game tackles list...His 22 tackles are the most by a Big Ten player since Wisconsin's Mike Taylor had 22 stops at Ohio State on Oct. 29, 2011.

**Final Rankings:** No. 16 in the Big Ten with 7.9 tackles per game...No. 3 in the Big Ten and tied for No. 30 in the FBS with two fumble recoveries...The 22-tackle effort vs. Minnesota (10/1) ranked No. 3 on the single-game list in 2016 among FBS defenders (24 - Obi Melifonwu, Connecticut & Rodney Butler, NMSU)

**Kent State (9/3):** Logged five stops...Forced and recovered a fumble at the Kent State 20 in the second quarter that led to a Saquon Barkley touchdown to give Penn State the lead for good. **at Pitt (9/10):** Netted eight stops - including four solo...Made a fourth-quarter tackle for loss. **Temple (9/17):** Recorded eight tackles with six solo stops...Had 1.0 tackle for loss. **at Michigan (9/24):** Made seven tackles...Had two pass breakups. **Minnesota (10/1):** Became the second FBS player to record 20-plus tackles, making a career-high 22 stops...Eight of his 22 tackles were solo stops...Made one tackle for loss, a third-quarter stop behind the line of scrimmage to force a punt that eventually led to a Trace McSorley rushing touchdown. **Maryland (10/8):** Totaled seven tackles...Made a solo tackle for loss on fourth-and-2 late in the third quarter to end a Maryland scoring threat...A part of a defense that allowed a season-low 11 first downs...Helped limit Maryland 14 points - all in the first half - 170 rushing yards and 270 yards of total offense, after the Terps entered averaging 43.2 points, 300.0 rushing and 466.2 yards of total offense per game. **Ohio State (10/22):** Posted six tackles...Blocked his first career kick on a 45-yard field goal attempt in the fourth quarter, which was returned 60 yards by Grant Haley for the game-winning touchdown...It was Penn State's first blocked field goal since Kyle Baublitz blocked a field goal try in the four-overtime victory against Michigan in the 2013 Penn State White Out game...The block was one of two blocked kicks in the game (Cam Brown - punt) and helped Penn State block two kicks in a game for the first time since blocking two against FIU in the 2007 season opener (FG & punt)...Helped the defense hold Ohio State scoreless in two quarters for the first time since Michigan State in 2015, which was Ohio State's last loss. **at Purdue (10/29):** Made six tackles - five solo...Helped the defense hold Purdue to just 46 yards rushing, the second opponent held under 50 yards rushing in 2016. **Iowa (11/5):** Made three tackles...Helped the defense hold Iowa to just 30 yards rushing, which was 137.9 yards below the Hawkeyes' season average (167.9 ypg) entering the game...It was the fewest rushing yards allowed by Penn State since holding Massachusetts to three yards in 2014...It marked the first time Penn

State had held two consecutive opponents to 50 yards rushing or fewer since 2007 (Notre Dame, zero yards; FIU, minus-3 yards)...It was the first time since Penn State joined the Big Ten that it held consecutive conference opponents to 50 yards or less of rushing.

**at Indiana (11/12):** Boasted a game-high 10 stops - including five solo...Tied his career high with 1.5 tackles for loss...Recovered his second fumble of the season near the end of the first quarter...

Was a part of a defense that forced a season-high five turnovers, the most since forcing five against Maryland in 2015...Penn State's five fumble recoveries were its most since recovering five versus FIU in 2007...Helped the Nittany Lion defense generate nine tackles for loss, marking the seventh time in 2016 the unit has posted at least 9.0 TFL in a game. **at Rutgers (11/19):** Made one tackle...Helped hold Rutgers to just 87 yards of total offense, the fewest given up by Penn State in its Big Ten history and the fewest since 2006 vs. Temple (74)...The five first downs allowed are the fewest in B1G play in Penn State history and fewest since 2006 vs. Temple (2). **Michigan State (11/26):** Posted seven stops...Combined with Brandon Bell on a first-quarter tackle for loss...Broke up a pass late in the third quarter. **vs. Wisconsin (12/3):** Logged 11 tackles - six solo. **vs. USC (1/2):** Made nine tackles.

#### » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

##### Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

KENT STATE 2-3-5; at Pitt 4-4-8; TEMPLE 6-2-8; at Michigan 7-0-7; MINNESOTA 8-14-22; MARYLAND 3-4-7; OHIO STATE 2-4-6; at Purdue 5-1-6; IOWA 1-2-3; at Indiana 5-5-10; at Rutgers 1-0-1 MICHIGAN STATE 2-5-7; vs. Wisconsin 6-5-11; vs. USC 5-4-9.

##### » ALLEN'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

UA-A	TK	FF	FR	I	PBU	SACK	TFL
2014	35-23	58	-	-	3	1.0-11	2.0-13
2015	43-38	81	2	1	-	2	1.0-9
2016	57-53	110	1	2	-	3	-
CAREER	135-114	249	3	3	-	8	2.0-20

Tackles ..... 22; Minnesota, 10/1/16

Sacks ..... 1.0; Twice: Last at Maryland, 10/24/15

Tackles for Loss ..... 1.5; Three Times: Last at Indiana, 11/12/16

Forced Fumbles ..... 1; Three Times: Last Kent State, 9/3/16

Fumble Recoveries ..... 1; Three Times: Last at Indiana, 11/12/16

Pass Breakups ..... 2; Twice: Last at Michigan, 9/24/16

Blocked Kicks ..... 1 (FG); Ohio State, 10/22/16



### 8 MARK ALLEN

5-6 ► 181 ► Sr./Jr. Eligible  
Running Back ► Hyattsville, Md.  
Journalism

#### » 2016

**Season:** Appeared in 13 games.

**at Pitt (9/10):** Made one carry for two yards...Caught one pass for four yards. **Temple (9/17):** Rushed six times for 17 yards...Had one catch for one yard. **at Michigan (9/24):** Had one carry. **Maryland (10/8):** Carried seven times for 31 yards. **at Purdue (10/29):** Carried the ball once, scoring on a 1-yard touchdown run in the fourth quarter. **Iowa (11/5):** Carried five times for 30 yards. **at Rutgers (11/19):** Carried the ball five times for 26 yards...Caught a swing pass and went 27 yards for his second career receiving touchdown. **Michigan State (11/26):** Toted the ball twice for eight yards. **vs. USC (1/2):** Carried the ball once for no gain and caught one pass.

#### » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

##### Rushing (Carries-Yards-TD)

KENT STATE 0-0-0; at Pitt 1-2-0; TEMPLE 6-17-0; at Michigan 1-0-0; MINNESOTA 0-0-0; MARYLAND 7-31-0; OHIO STATE DNP; at Purdue 1-1-1; IOWA 5-30-0; at Indiana 0-0-0; at Rutgers 5-26-0; MICHIGAN STATE 2-8-0; vs. Wisconsin 0-0-0; vs. USC 1-0-0.

##### Receiving (Receptions-Yards-TD)

KENT STATE 0-0-0; at Pitt 1-4-0; TEMPLE 1-1-0; at Michigan 0-0-0; MINNESOTA 0-0-0; MARYLAND 0-0-0; OHIO STATE DNP; at Purdue 0-0-0; IOWA 0-0-0; at Indiana 0-0-0; at Rutgers 1-27-1; MICHIGAN STATE 0-0-0; vs. Wisconsin 0-0-0; vs. USC 1-(-8)-0.

##### » ALLEN'S CAREER OFFENSIVE STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

Att.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG	Rec.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG
2015	27-98	3.6	1	28	4-44	11.0	1
2016	29-115	4.0	1	17	4-24	6.0	1
CAREER	56-213	3.8	2	28	8-68	8.5	2

Rushing attempts ..... 8; Indiana, 10/10/15

Rushing Yards ..... 45; Indiana, 10/10/15

Rushing Touchdowns ..... 1; Twice: Last at Purdue, 10/29/16

Longest Rush ..... 28 yards; Indiana, 10/10/15

Receptions ..... 2; Indiana, 10/10/15

Receiving Yards ..... 29; San Diego State, 9/26/15

Receiving Touchdowns ..... 1; Twice: Last at Rutgers, 11/19/16

Longest Reception ..... 27 yards; at Rutgers, 11/19/16



### 28 TROY APKE

6-1 ► 212 ► Sr./Sr. Eligible  
Safety ► Mt. Lebanon, Pa.  
Criminology

#### » 2016

**Season:** Appeared in all 14 games, making his second career start vs. Minnesota (10/1)...Made a career-best 28 stops...Tied for sixth on the team in special team tackles (5).

**Kent State (9/3):** Recorded one tackle. **at Pitt (9/10):** Made a combined special teams stop (Scott) in the first quarter. **at Michigan (9/24):** Posted four tackles. **Minnesota (10/1):** Logged six stops. **Maryland (10/8):** Made two tackles. **at Purdue (10/29):** Had one stop. **Iowa (11/5):** Grabbed his first career interception on the second play of the fourth quarter...Made one tackle. **at Indiana (11/12):** Made three stops...One stop came on kickoff coverage. **at Rutgers (11/19):** Made two tackles. **Michigan State (11/26):** Totaled a career-best seven tackles...Recovered his first career fumble late in the third quarter, which led to a Penn State touchdown two plays later.

#### » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

##### Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

KENT STATE 1-0-1; at Pitt 0-1-1; TEMPLE 0-0-0; at Michigan 1-3-4; MINNESOTA 3-3-6; MARYLAND 1-1-2; OHIO STATE 0-0-0; at Purdue 0-1-1; IOWA 0-1-1; at Indiana 3-0-3; at Rutgers 1-1-2; MICHIGAN STATE 1-6-7; vs. Wisconsin 0-0-0; vs. USC 0-0-0.

##### » APKE'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

UA-A	TK	FF	FR	I	PBU	SACK	TFL
2014	2-0	2	-	-	-	-	-
2015	14-12	26	1	-	1	-	-
2016	11-17	28	-	1	1	-	-
CAREER	27-29	56	1	1	1	1	-

Tackles ..... 7; Michigan State, 11/26/16

Forced Fumbles ..... 1; Rutgers, 9/19/15

Fumble Recoveries ..... 1; Michigan State, 11/26/16

Interceptions ..... 1; Iowa, 11/5/16

Long Interception Return ..... 10 yards; Iowa, 11/5/16

Pass Breakups ..... 1; Michigan, 11/21/15

**2b SAQUON BARKLEY**

5-11 ► 225 ► Jr./Jr. Eligible

Running Back ► Coplay, Pa.

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## » CAREER NOTES &amp; RECORDS

**Career:** Ranks 12th on Penn State's career rushing list with 2,572 yards...Is just the eighth player in Penn State history with multiple 1,000-yard seasons...Sits tied for No. 10 on the career rushing touchdowns chart (25), trailing the 26 rushing scores by Matt Suhey (1976-79) and Larry Johnson (1999-2002) for No. 9...Ranks tied for No. 12 with 10 career 100-yard games (five in 2015, five in 2016), including two 200-yard efforts...Has 80 rushes of 10 or more yards in his career (34 in 2015, 46 in 2016)...Had a streak of 14 consecutive games with at least one rush of 20 yards snapped at Rutgers (11/19), a streak that was the second-longest in college football in the last 20 years (19 - LaMichael James, Oregon (2008-10)).

**Season:** Finished No. 5 on the single-season rushing yardage chart with 1,496 yards...Broke the sophomore rushing record formerly held by Evan Royster (1,236; 2008) with 1,496 yards on the season...Owns the sophomore scoring record and ranked No. 4 on the single-season scoring list with 132 points, passing Kevin Kelly's previous sophomore mark of 96 points (2006)...Barkley and Tyler Davis are the first set of teammates to score 100 points in the same season...Broke the sophomore rushing touchdowns record with his 14th score of 2016 at Rutgers (11/19) in the third quarter and finished with 18 rushing scores...Became the first Nittany Lion since Zach Zwinak (12, 2013) to score 10-plus touchdowns in a season...His 22 overall touchdowns (18 rushing, 4 receiving) are No. 4 on the single-season charts...The 22 total touchdowns are the most since Larry Johnson scored 23 in 2002...His 18 rushing touchdowns tied Richie Anderson (1992) for No. 5 on Penn State's single-season charts...Finished No. 2 on Penn State's single-season all-purpose yards list with 1,927 yards, the highest total since Larry Johnson's school-record 2,655 yards in 2002...Broke Penn State's freshman (true or redshirt) season record with 1,076 rushing yards, surpassing D.J. Dozier's mark of 1,002 set in 1983...His 2015 season effort ranks 17th on the Penn State single-season rushing charts...Finished tied for first place on the Penn State true freshman season rushing touchdown (Dozier, 7) and 100-yard rushing games lists (Dozier, 5)...Broke Penn State freshman season record for all-purpose yards with 1,237, surpassing the mark set by Dozier in 1983 (1,191).

**Game:** Became the first Penn State player since Larry Johnson in 2002 (289 yards vs. Michigan State and 327 yards at Indiana) to post back-to-back game with 200-plus all-purpose yards, gaining 211 vs. Iowa (11/5) and 277 at Purdue (10/29)...Produced the fourth 300-plus all-purpose yard game against USC (1/2) in the Rose Bowl with 306 yards...Became the 15th different Penn Stater with a 200-yard rushing game vs. Maryland (10/8) with 202 yards...After posting 207 yards on the ground at Purdue (10/29), he is the first Penn Stater with multiple 200-yard rushing games since Larry Johnson had four in 2002...His 202 rushing yards vs. the Terrapins rank No. 24 on Penn State's single-game rushing charts...His 207 yards rushing at Purdue rank No. 21 on the single-game charts and are the most since Larry Johnson's 279 yards vs. Michigan State in 2002...Twice broke the Penn State sophomore record for all-purpose yards, first with 277 (207 rushing, 70 receiving) at Purdue and again vs. USC in the Rose Bowl with 306 (194 rushing, 55 receiving, 54 kick return).

## » 2016

**Awards:** Earned second-team All-American honors from *The Sporting News* and *College Sports Madness*...Named third-team All-American by the Associated Press, *Athlon* and *Phil Steele*...Selected to *Campus Insiders* Sophomore All-America first team...Earned All-Bowl Team honors from Associated Press (all-purpose), *Sports Illustrated*, *Athlon Sports* and *NCAA.com*...Named to the *ESPN.com* Big Ten All-Bowl Team...Shared the illustrious *Chicago Tribune* Silver

Football for the Big Ten's best player with J.T. Barrett of Ohio State...Is the first Penn State running back and fourth Nittany Lion overall to win the Silver Football, joining Darryl Clark (2009), Michael Robinson (2005) and Kerry Collins (1994)...Named the Graham-George Big Ten Offensive Player of the Year and Ameche-Dayne Big Ten Running Back of the Year...Is the eighth sophomore to win Offensive Player of the Year in Big Ten history, most recently by Ohio State's Braxton Miller in 2012...Is one of 17 running backs to win Offensive Player of the Year in Big Ten history...Is the third-straight running back to win Offensive Player of the Year (Melvin Gordon, WIS; Ezekiel Elliott, OSU)...Is the fourth Nittany Lion to win Big Ten Offensive Player of the Year, joining Kerry Collins (1994), Curtis Enis (1997) and Michael Robinson (2005)...Is the first Penn State player to win Running Back of the Year (award established in 2011)...Is the first sophomore to win Running Back of the Year in Big Ten history...Unanimous All-Big Ten first team selection by the media panel...Earned All-Big Ten first team from the conference coaches...Is the first Penn State running back to earn All-Big Ten first team honors since Evan Royster in 2009...Named to *Phil Steele's* and the *Athlon Sports* All-Big Ten first team...A first-team pick on *ESPN.com's* All-Big Ten squad...Named *Pro Football Focus* All-Big Ten second team...Selected to the All-ECAC Offense first team...Selected one of 18 semifinalists for the Maxwell Award and among 10 semifinalists for the Doak Walker Award...Named to the Big Ten Preseason Honor Roll...Named to the Rotary Lombardi Award Preseason Watch Lists...Named to the Dante Hall Award Watch List...Named Big Ten Offensive Player of the Week on Oct. 10 after his 200-yard rushing performance vs. Maryland...Named CBS National Player of the Week and Big Ten Offensive Player of the Week after totaling 277 all-purpose yards at Purdue (10/29)...Became Penn State's first two-time B1G Offensive Player of the Week since Darryl Clark won the award twice in 2009...Named to the *Pro Football Focus* National Team of the Week following his performance at Purdue (10/29)...Named Rose Bowl Game Big Ten Offensive Player of the Week after piling up 211 all-purpose yards vs. Iowa (11/5)...Honored as team MVP at the annual Nittany Lion Football Banquet.

**Season:** Started all 14 games...Six rushing touchdowns in the first three games of the season are the most by a Penn State player since Evan Royster (6) in 2008...Seven combined offensive touchdowns (6 rushing, 1 receiving) were the most by a Penn State player since Lydell Mitchell had seven to begin the 1971 season.

**Final Rankings:** Led the Big Ten and was No. 5 in the FBS in total touchdowns (33)...No. 9 nationally and No. 1 in the Big Ten in rushing touchdowns (18) and total points (132)...Paced the Big Ten and was No. 12 nationally in scoring (9.4 ppg)...No. 1 in the Big Ten and No. 21 nationally in all-purpose yards (140.86 ypg)...No. 2 in the Big Ten and No. 14 in the FBS in total rushing yards (1,496)...No. 2 in the Big Ten and No. 24 in the FBS in rushing yards per game (106.9 ypg)...No. 4 in the Big Ten and No. 58 nationally in yards per carry (5.50 ypc).

**Kent State (9/3):** Posted his first 100-yard game of the season and sixth for his career with 105 yards on 22 carries...Made one catch for 17 yards...Scored his first touchdown of the season on a 7-yard burst to the pylon off the right side in the second quarter. **at Pitt (9/10):** Accounted for 147 all-purpose yards...Carried 20 times for 85 yards and four touchdowns...Caught two passes for 45 yards and a touchdown...Returned one kickoff for 17 yards...Had rushing scores of 3, 1, 1 and 2 yards in the game...Caught a 40-yard touchdown grab in the third quarter...Accounted for 30 points in the game...The 30 points are tied for No. 4 in Penn State history (fifth occasion)...First Nittany Lion with 30 points since Ki-Jana Carter vs. Michigan State in 1994...His 30 points are the most by a Big Ten player since Melvin Gordon had 30 tallies against Bowling Green in 2014...The four rushing touchdowns are the most by a Nittany Lion since Larry Johnson had four vs. Michigan State in 2002. **Temple (9/7):** Carried nine times for 68 yards and one touchdown...Touchdown run covered 55 yards...Caught two passes for seven yards. **at Michigan (9/24):** Carried the ball 15 times for 59 yards...Made five receptions for a career-high 77 yards...The 77 receiving yards are the most for a running back since Stephon Green had one catch for 80 yards and a touchdown against Michigan in 2008...Totaled 136 all-purpose

yards...Led Penn State in rushing and receiving, the first player to do so since 2014 (Akeel Lynch, at Illinois). **Minnesota (10/1):** Rushed for 63 yards on 20 carries...Juked his way to a 25-yard touchdown run on the first play of overtime to help Penn State reclaim the Governor's Victory Bell...Caught one pass. **Maryland (10/8):** Logged his first career 200-yard game and became the 15th Penn Stater to eclipse the 200-yard mark with 202 yards and one touchdown on 31 carries...Scored on a 45-yard burst late in the second quarter...His 202 rushing yards were the most since Larry Johnson's 279 yards vs. Michigan State in 2002...The 202 yards rushing rank No. 24 on the single-game Penn State charts, tied with John Cappelletti (vs. Maryland, 1972). **Ohio State (10/22):** Carried the ball 12 times for 99 yards...Posted three carries of 10 yards or more, including a 37-yard tote in the fourth quarter that set up Trace McSorley's 2-yard touchdown run. **at Purdue (10/29):** Totaled a then-Penn State sophomore-record 277 all-purpose yards (207 rushing, 70 receiving), which ranks No. 15 all-time at Penn State...The 207 yards rushing is a career high...His 207 rushing yards marked his second 200-yard rushing effort of the year, marking the first time since 2002 a Penn Stater posted multiple 200-yard rushing games in a single season (4; Larry Johnson)...Posted seven rushes of 10 yards or more, including a career-long 81-yard touchdown run in the fourth quarter...The 81-yard run is the ninth-longest rush in school history and eighth-longest touchdown rush in the Penn State record books...Caught three passes for 70 yards. **Iowa (11/5):** Carried the ball 18 times for 167 yards and one touchdown...Caught one pass for 44 yards and a touchdown...Accumulated 211 total yards in the game, making him the first Penn State player with back-to-back games of 200-plus total yards since Larry Johnson in 2002...Hauled in a 44-yard touchdown catch in the fourth quarter, a career-long reception and the longest TD catch by a running back since Evan Royster in 2009 (49 yards, vs. Syracuse)...Broke a 57-yard touchdown run in the second quarter, his longest career scoring rush at Beaver Stadium. **at Indiana (11/12):** Carried the ball a career-high 33 times for 58 yards and two scores...Scored both touchdowns in the fourth quarter, coming on runs of 4 and 2 yards...Caught two passes for 34 yards, including a long of 32. **at Rutgers (11/19):** Toted the ball 16 times for 92 yards and one touchdown...His third-quarter rushing score of 1-yard came following a Penn State blocked punt...Caught two passes for 25 yards. **Michigan State (11/26):** Carried 12 times for 14 yards...Caught two passes for 11 yards...Did not play in the fourth quarter. **vs. Wisconsin (12/3):** Totaled



Rising junior running back Saquon Barkley set sophomore season records for rushing yards (1,496), all-purpose yards (1,927), points (132) and rushing touchdowns (18).

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103 all-purpose yards...Rushed 19 times for 83 yards and one touchdown...Scored on 1-yard plunge in the third quarter to knot the game at 28-28...Caught two passes for 20 yards...Hauled in an 18-yard touchdown grab for the go-ahead score early in the fourth quarter. **vs. USC (1/2):** Set the Penn State sophomore record and ranks No. 3 all-time on the single-game charts with 306 all-purpose yards - marking just the fourth game in Penn State history of 300-plus all-purpose yards...Totaled three touchdowns in the game...Rushed for a Penn State bowl record 194 yards and two touchdowns on 25 attempts...His 79-yard rushing score in the third quarter is the second-longest offensive scoring play in Penn State bowl history, behind Ki-Jana Carter's 83-yard rushing TD in the 1995 Rose Bowl...Had a 24-yard touchdown run in the second quarter...Caught five passes for 55 yards and one score...Hauled in an over-the-shoulder touchdown pass near the end of the third quarter...Returned two kickoffs for 57 yards.

### » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

#### Rushing (Carries-Yards-TD)

KENT STATE 22-105-1; at Pitt 20-85-4; TEMPLE 9-68-1; at Michigan 15-59-0; MINNESOTA 20-63-1; MARYLAND 31-202-1; OHIO STATE 12-99-0; at Purdue 18-207-2; IOWA 20-167-1; at Indiana 33-58-2; at Rutgers 16-92-1; MICHIGAN STATE 12-14-1; vs. Wisconsin 19-83-1; vs. USC 25-194-2.

#### Receiving (Receptions-Yards-TD)

KENT STATE 1-17-0; at Pitt 2-45-1; TEMPLE 2-7-0; at Michigan 5-77-0; MINNESOTA 1-(3)-0; MARYLAND 0-0-0; OHIO STATE 0-0-0; at Purdue 3-70-0; IOWA 1-44-1; at Indiana 2-34-0; at Rutgers 2-25-0; MICHIGAN STATE 2-11-0; vs. Wisconsin 2-20-1; vs. USC 5-55-1.

### » BARKLEY'S CAREER OFFENSIVE STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	Att.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG	Rec.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG
2015	182-1,076	5.9	7	56	20-161	8.1	1	32
2016	272-1,496	5.5	18	81	28-402	14.4	4	44
CAREER	454-2,572	5.7	25	81	48-563	11.7	5	44

Rushing Attempts ..... 33; at Indiana, 11/12/16

Rushing Yards ..... 207; at Purdue, 10/29/16

Rushing Touchdowns ..... 4; at Pitt, 9/10/16

Longest Rush ..... 81 yards; at Purdue, 10/29/16

Receptions ..... 6; at Northwestern, 11/7/15

Receiving Yards ..... 77; at Michigan, 9/24/16

Receiving Touchdowns ..... 1; Four Times: Last vs. USC, 1/2/17

Longest Reception ..... 44 yards; Iowa, 11/5/16

All-Purpose Yards ..... 306; vs. USC, 1/2/17

Note: Has three kickoff returns for 74 yards in 2016 (1 at Pitt, 2 vs. USC).



**52 RYAN BATES**

6-4 ► 312 ► Jr./So. Eligible

Offensive Line ► Warrington, Pa.

DUS

### » 2016

**Awards:** Selected as a Freshman All-American by the *Football Writers Association of American* and *USA Today*...Named honorable mention *Campus Insiders* Freshman All-American...Named to the *ESPN.com* Big Ten All-Bowl Team...Named to the *BTN.com* and *ESPN.com* All-Big Ten Freshman Teams...Named to the *Pro Football Focus* Big Ten Team of the Week following his performance vs. Iowa (11/5).

**Season:** Started all 14 games...One of 18 first-time starters in 2016...One of 27 freshmen (22 redshirt, 5 true) to appear in 2016...One of two offensive linemen to start all 14 games (Brian Gaia)...Started games at left guard and left tackle.

**Kent State (9/3):** Made his first career start in his first career game...Helped pave the way for Saquon Barkley's 105-yard rushing effort and protected Trace McSorley, who posted his first career 200-yard passing game. **at Pitt (9/10):** Part of an offensive line that

cleared the way for Saquon Barkley's four rushing touchdowns...Blocked for Trace McSorley's 332 passing yards, which ranks tied for No. 16 in Penn State single-game history. **Temple (9/17):** Part of a line that didn't allow a sack...Paved the way for three rushing touchdowns...Protected Trace McSorley in his third career 200-yard passing effort. **at Michigan (9/24):** Helped Saquon Barkley move into the top-30 on the career rushing list...Protected Trace McSorley, who threw a touchdown pass in his fifth straight game.

**Minnesota (10/1):** Helped Penn State to 471 yards of total offense, the most since racking up an identical total vs. Rutgers in 2015...Protected Trace McSorley to the tune of 408 yards of total offense (335 passing, 73 rushing), the third-highest total in school history...Opened up the left side on Saquon Barkley's game-winning 25-yard touchdown run in overtime. **Maryland (10/8):** Paved the way for 372 total rushing yards, the third-highest total for a Penn State team in Big Ten play and fourth-most in a game and fourth-most in any game for Penn State in the last 20 years...Guided the offense to 524 total yards, the most since 2014 vs. UCF (511) and the most in Big Ten play since 2012 vs. Indiana (546). **Ohio State (10/22):** Cleared the way for Saquon Barkley's 99 rushing yards. **at Purdue (10/29):** Helped Penn State gain more than 500 total yards, ending the game with 511...Blocked for Saquon Barkley's 207 rushing yards and Trace McSorley's 228 yards passing...Had a key downfield block that helped spring Barkley on his 81-yard touchdown run...Helped Penn State score eight offensive touchdowns in the game...Integral part of Penn State scoring 62 points, its most points since scoring 66 vs. Coastal Carolina in 2006 and the most in a Big Ten game since tallying 63 vs. Illinois in 2005. **Iowa (11/5):** Blocked for a 167-yard rushing effort by Saquon Barkley and a 240-yard passing night for Trace McSorley...Helped Penn State to 599 yards of total offense, the most since recording 661 yards at Rutgers (1995) and the highest total offense output by Penn State against a Big Ten team since 653 yards against Michigan State (1994)...Overall, Penn State rushed for 359 yards...His efforts enabled the Nittany Lions to go 7-of-14 on third down and the offense did not have a single three-and-out in the game. **at Indiana (11/12):** Helped protect Trace McSorley during his 332-yard passing game, the third of his career - all coming in 2016...Started at left guard before moving to left tackle after Paris Palmer left the game. **at Rutgers (11/19):** Helped Penn State pile up eighth game of 400-plus yards and the fourth game in 2016 with at least 500 yards...Protected Trace McSorley to the tune of 210 yards passing, his eighth 200-yard passing game of the season.

**Michigan State (11/26):** Instrumental in Penn State gaining 463 yards of total offense, its ninth game with at least 400 yards...Helped Trace McSorley pile up 389 yards of total offense, the fifth-most in program history...McSorley threw for 376 yards - the sixth-highest total in school history - with four touchdown passes and rushed for 13 yards. **vs. Wisconsin (12/3):** Helped Penn State score 38 points, the most scored by a Wisconsin opponent since 2014 (Ohio State, 59)...Protected quarterback Trace McSorley, who threw for 384 yards, which ranks No. 4 in Penn State history and broke the Big Ten Championship game passing record...Also gave McSorley time to connect on a Big Ten Championship game-record four passing touchdowns...Paved the way for Saquon Barkley's 83 yards rushing, which enabled him to break Evan Royster's Penn State sophomore rushing record. **vs. USC (1/2):** Helped Penn State become the first team in Rose Bowl history with a 175-yard rusher and receiver in a game (Chris Godwin, 187 receiving yards and Saquon Barkley, 194 rushing yards)...Barkley and Godwin broke the Penn State bowl records for rushing yards and receiving yards in a bowl game, respectively...Penn State's 465 yards of total offense are fourth in the school's bowl history and the most since the 1996 Outback Bowl (487)...Protected Trace McSorley to the tune of 254 yards, including a Penn State bowl-record-tying four touchdown passes.



**13 SAEED BLACKNALL**

6-3 ► 212 ► Sr./Sr. Eligible

Wide Receiver ► Manalapan, N.J.

Telecommunications

### » 2016

**Awards:** Named Academic All-Big Ten for the second time in his career.

**Season:** Appeared in nine games with seven starts...Owned six catches of 20-plus yards in 2016...Posted career highs with 15 receptions, 347 yards and three touchdown catches.

**Kent State (9/3):** Made two catches for 24 yards...Had a 21-yard grab on the left sideline on the first play of Penn State's third scoring drive of the game. **Ohio State (10/22):** Made a great back-shoulder catch for 37 yards to set up first-and-goal at the OSU 2-yard line, which led to a Trace McSorley 2-yard touchdown scamper.

**at Purdue (10/29):** Caught one pass for 42 yards...His 42-yard reception came on the first play of a drive that eventually ended in a 29-yard field goal by Tyler Davis. **Iowa (11/5):** Made his lone catch in the first quarter, a 19-yard touchdown grab to open the scoring. **at Indiana (11/12):** Caught a 43-yard pass from Trace McSorley near the end of the third quarter to set up Penn State's third score of the game. **Michigan State (11/26):** Had three catches for 29 yards...Converted a second-and-long with a 16-yard catch on Penn State's first touchdown drive of the game...Made an 8-yard grab on third-and-3 during Penn State's opening drive of the second half, a drive it scored the go-ahead touchdown on. **vs. Wisconsin (12/3):** Posted career highs in catches (6), receiving yards (155) and touchdown catches (2)...All six of his catches gained at least 10 yards...Hauled in a 40-yard touchdown pass for his first score of the game late in the second quarter...Had a career-long 70-yard catch-and-run for a touchdown on the first play of Penn State's first second half possession...The 70-yard reception is the third-longest passing play in Big Ten Championship game history...His 155 receiving yards are a Big Ten Championship game record, surpassing Ohio State's Devin Smith's 137 yards in 2014.

### » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

#### Receiving (Receptions-Yards-TD)

KENT STATE 2-24-0; at Pitt DNP; TEMPLE DNP; at Michigan DNP; MINNESOTA DNP; MARYLAND 0-0-0; OHIO STATE 1-35-0; at Purdue 1-42-0; IOWA 1-19-1; at Indiana 1-43-0; at Rutgers 0-0-0; MICHIGAN STATE 3-29-0; vs. Wisconsin 6-155-2; vs. USC DNP.

### » BLACKNALL'S CAREER OFFENSIVE STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	Att.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG	Rec.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG
2014	1-(1)	(-1.0)	-	(-1)	11-112	10.2	1	24
2015	-	-	-	-	8-248	31.0	1	59
2016	-	-	-	-	15-347	23.1	3	70
CAREER	1-(1)	(-1.0)	-	(-1)	34-707	20.8	5	70

Receptions ..... 6; vs. Wisconsin, 12/3/16

Receiving Yards ..... 155; vs. Wisconsin, 12/3/16

Receiving Touchdowns ..... 2; vs. Wisconsin, 12/3/16

Longest Reception ..... 70 yards; vs. Wisconsin, 12/3/16



Rising senior Saeed Blacknall had career highs in receptions (15), yards (347) and touchdowns (3) in 2016. He broke the Big Ten Championship game record with 155 receiving yards in the title tilt. His 70-yard touchdown reception against the Badgers is the third-longest in Big Ten Championship game history.



## 43 MANNY BOWEN

6-1 ► 224 ► Jr./Jr. Eligible

Linebacker ► Barnegat, N.J.

DUS

### » 2016

**Awards:** Named Academic All-Big Ten.

**Season:** Appeared in 13 games with 12 starts...One of 18 first-time starters in 2016...Made his first career start at Pitt (9/10).

**Kent State (9/3):** Totaled one tackle...Added his first career pass breakup. **at Pitt (9/10):** Made his first career start...Collected five tackles, all solo...Posted his first career solo tackle for loss in the first quarter. **Temple (9/17):** Notched three tackles...Logged his first career sack with a takedown of Phillip Walker in the second quarter...Had one pass breakup...A part of a front seven that limited Temple to just 38 rushing yards, the fewest since holding Illinois to 37 yards on the ground in 2015. **at Michigan (9/24):** Totaled seven tackles, including a stop behind the line of scrimmage on Michigan's first offensive play of the game. **Minnesota (10/1):** Contributed seven tackles (five solo)...Made a career-best 2.0 tackles for loss, including a fourth-quarter takedown behind the line on third down to force a Minnesota field goal. **Maryland (10/8):** Made his first career start at middle linebacker...Totaled five stops...A part of a defense that allowed a season-low 11 first downs...Helped limit Maryland 14 points - all in the first half - 170 rushing yards and 270 yards of total offense, after the Terps entered averaging 43.2 points, 300.0 rushing and 466.2 yards of total offense per game. **Ohio State (10/22):** Notched his first double-digit tackle effort with 12 stops...Added one tackle for loss and one quarterback hurry...Helped the defense hold Ohio State scoreless in two quarters for the first time since Michigan State in 2015, which was Ohio State's last loss...Helped the defense to a season-high 11.0 tackles for loss, the most TFLs since posting 11.0 vs. Maryland in 2015...The 11.0 tackles for loss were the most yielded by the Buckeyes since giving up 11.0 vs. Alabama (2015). **at Purdue (10/29):** Totaled six tackles - five solo...Helped the defense hold Purdue to just 46 yards rushing, the second opponent held under 50 yards rushing in 2016. **Iowa (11/5):** Made four tackles...Helped the defense hold Iowa to just 30 yards rushing, which was 137.9 yards below the Hawkeyes' season average (167.9 ypg) entering the game...It was the fewest rushing yards allowed by Penn State since holding Massachusetts to three yards in 2014...It marked the first time Penn State had held two consecutive opponents to 46 yards rushing or fewer since 2007 (Notre Dame, zero yards; FIU,

minus-3 yards)...It was the first time since Penn State joined the Big Ten that it held consecutive conference opponents to 50 yards or less of rushing. **at Indiana (11/12):** Made a pair of stops...Had a second-quarter tackle for loss...Helped the Nittany Lion defense generate nine tackles for loss, marking the seventh time in 2016 the unit has posted at least 9.0 TFL in a game. **at Rutgers (11/19):** Had one assisted tackle...Helped hold Rutgers to just 87 yards of total offense, the fewest given up by Penn State in its Big Ten history and the fewest since 2006 vs. Temple (74)...The five first downs allowed are the fewest in B1G play in Penn State history and fewest since 2006 vs. Temple (2). **Michigan State (11/26):** Logged nine tackles...Sacked Tyler O'Conner for a loss of nine yards in the second quarter. **vs. Wisconsin (12/3):** Totaled six tackles...Combined with Malik Golden on a second-quarter tackle for loss.

### » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

#### Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

KENT STATE 0-1-1; at Pitt 5-0-5; TEMPLE 2-1-3; at Michigan 3-4-7; MINNESOTA 5-2-7; MARYLAND 1-4-5; OHIO STATE 4-8-12 at Purdue 5-1-6; IOWA 1-3-4; at Indiana 2-0-2; at Rutgers 0-1-1; MICHIGAN STATE 4-5-9; vs. Wisconsin 3-3-6; vs. USC DNP.

#### » BOWEN'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	I	PBU	SACK	TFL
2015	12-6	18	1	1	-	-	-	0.5-2
2016	35-33	68	-	-	-	2	2.0-16	8.5-30
<b>CAREER</b>	<b>47-39</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2.0-16</b>	<b>9.0-32</b>

Tackles ..... 12; Ohio State, 10/22/16  
 Sacks ..... 1.0; Twice: Last Michigan State, 11/26/16  
 Tackles for Loss ..... 2.0; Minnesota, 10/1/16  
 Fumble Recoveries ..... 1; Army, 10/3/15  
 Forced Fumbles ..... 1; at Michigan State, 11/28/15  
 Pass Breakups ..... 1; Twice: Last Temple, 9/17/16



## 31 CAM BROWN

6-5 ► 224 ► So./So. Eligible

Linebacker ► Burtonsville, Md.

DUS

### » 2016

**Awards:** Selected to the *BTN.com* and *ESPN.com* All-Big Ten Freshman Team.

**Season:** Appeared in 12 games with two starts...Ranked No. 5 on the team in special teams tackles (6)...Made his first collegiate start vs. Minnesota (10/1)...One of 18 first-time starters in 2016...One of 27 freshmen (22 redshirt, 5 true) to appear in 2016.

**at Pitt (9/10):** Made his first collegiate appearance...Notched his first tackle on defense in the third quarter. **Temple (9/17):** Appeared mostly on special teams...Played three defensive snaps. **at Michigan (9/24):** Made 10 tackles - four solo...His 10 stops are the most for a true freshman linebacker since Khairi Fortt notched 11 tackles vs. Illinois in 2010...Last true freshman with double-digit tackles was Marcus Allen (10, vs. Ohio State) in 2014...Posted his first career tackle for loss in the third quarter. **Minnesota (10/1):** Ranked second on the team with nine tackles - six solo. **Ohio State (10/22):** Blocked his first career kick, a fourth-quarter punt that led to a 34-yard Tyler Davis field goal...The block was one of two blocked kicks in the game (Marcus Allen - FG) and helped Penn State block two kicks in a game for the first time since blocking two against FIU in the 2007 season opener (FG & punt). **at Purdue (10/29):** Made three stops. **Iowa (11/5):** Logged three stops, including two on kickoff return. **at Rutgers (11/19):** Made three assisted tackles, including a combined sack of Gio Rescigno in the fourth quarter...One stop came on kickoff coverage...Aided the Nittany Lions in compiling nine tackles for loss, the eighth time in 2016 they recorded at least 9.0 stops behind the line of scrimmage. **vs. USC (1/2):** Made four tackles.

### » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

#### Tackles (Total-Solo-Assisted)

KENT STATE DNP; at Pitt 0-1-1; TEMPLE 0-0-0; at Michigan 4-6-10; MINNESOTA 6-3-9; MARYLAND 0-0-0; OHIO STATE 0-0-0; at Purdue 1-2-3; IOWA 2-1-3; at Indiana 0-0-0; at Rutgers 0-3-3; MICHIGAN STATE 0-0-0; vs. Wisconsin 0-0-0; vs. USC 1-3-4.

#### » BROWN'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	I	PBU	SACK	TFL
2016	14-19	33	-	-	-	-	0.5-1	1.5-2
<b>CAREER</b>	<b>14-19</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>0.5-1</b>	<b>1.5-2</b>

**Tackles** ..... 10; at Michigan, 9/24/16  
**Sacks** ..... 0.5; at Rutgers, 11/19/16  
**Tackles for Loss** ..... 1.0; at Michigan, 9/24/16  
**Blocked Kicks** ..... 1 (punt); Ohio State, 10/22/16

## PLAYER BIOS



**19** **TORRENCE BROWN**

6-3 ► 259 ► Sr./Jr. Eligible  
Defensive End ► Tuscaloosa, Ala.  
Recreation, Parks & Tourism Management

### » 2016

**Season:** Appeared in all 14 games with four starts...One of 18 first-time starters in 2016...Made his first collegiate start vs. Temple (9/17).

**Final Rankings:** No. 3 in the Big Ten and tied for No. 30 in the FBS with two fumble recoveries.

**Kent State (9/3):** Combined on three tackles. **at Pitt (9/10):** Collected a career-high six stops...Totalled a career-best 2.0 tackles for loss with a pair of solo TFLs in the third quarter...Forced his first career fumble in the fourth quarter that led to a Tyler Davis field goal.

**Temple (9/17):** Made four tackles...Forced his second fumble of the season in the fourth quarter...Had 1.0 tackle for loss, which included combining with Robert Windsor on a fourth-quarter sack...A part of a front seven that limited Temple to just 38 rushing yards, the fewest since holding Illinois to 37 yards on the ground in 2015. **at Michigan (9/24):** Notched three stops...Made 1.0 tackle for loss for five yards in the first quarter. **Minnesota (10/1):** Made one tackle. **Maryland (10/8):** Made one tackle...Recovered Koa Farmer's forced fumble in the second quarter for his second career fumble recovery. **Ohio State (10/22):** Made three stops, including combining with Jason Cabinda on a tackle for loss in the second quarter...Helped the defense hold Ohio State scoreless in two quarters for the first time since Michigan State in 2015, which was Ohio State's last loss...Helped the defense to a season-high 11.0 tackles for loss, the most TFLs since posting 11.0 vs. Maryland in 2015...The 11.0 tackles for loss were the most yielded by the Buckeyes since giving up 11.0 vs. Alabama (2015). **at Purdue (10/29):** Made three stops...Helped the defense hold Purdue to just 46 yards rushing, the second opponent held under 50 yards rushing in 2016.

**at Indiana (11/12):** Scored his first career touchdown on a fourth-quarter fumble recovery, returning it nine yards for the final score of the game for Penn State...Was a part of a defense that forced a season-high five turnovers, the most since forcing five against Maryland in 2015...Penn State's five fumble recoveries were its most since recovering five versus FIU in 2007. **at Rutgers (11/19):** Had two tackles...Posted a tackle for loss in the fourth quarter, a stop of RU running back Justin Goodwin for a 1-yard loss...Aided the Nittany Lions in compiling nine tackles for loss, the eighth time in 2016 they recorded at least 9.0 stops behind the line of scrimmage. **Michigan State (11/26):** Made two stops...Combined with Jason Cabinda on a third-quarter tackle for loss. **vs. Wisconsin (12/3):** Made three tackles...Forced a first quarter fumble. **vs. USC (1/2):** Totalled two tackles.

### » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

#### Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

KENT STATE 1-1-2; at Pitt 2-0-2; TEMPLE 0-1-1; at Michigan 0-1-1; MINNESOTA 0-0-0; MARYLAND 0-2-2; OHIO STATE 2-1-3; at Purdue 1-0-1; IOWA 1-0-1; at Indiana 2-0-2; at Rutgers DNP; MICHIGAN STATE 1-0-1; vs. Wisconsin 0-0-0; vs. USC 0-0-0.

### » BROWN'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

UA-A	TK	FF	FR	I	PBU	SACK	TFL
2015	5-6	11	-	1	-	1.5-4	5.5-14
CAREER	16-17	33	3	2	-	0.5-4	6.0-18

Tackles	.....	6; at Pitt, 9/10/16
Sacks	.....	1.0; Michigan, 11/21/15
Tackles for Loss	.....	2.0; Twice at Pitt, 9/10/16
Forced Fumbles	.....	1; Twice; Last Temple, 9/17/16
Fumble Recoveries	.....	1; Three Times; Last at Indiana, 11/12/16

*Note: Has one career touchdown - a 9-yard fumble recovery for a score at Indiana (11/12/16).*



**97** **RYAN BUCHHOLZ**

6-6 ► 276 ► Jr./So. Eligible  
Defensive End ► Malvern, Pa.  
DUS

### » 2016

#### Awards: Named Academic All-Big Ten.

**Season:** Appeared in 13 games...One of 27 freshmen (22 redshirt, 5 true) to appear in 2016.

**Kent State (9/3):** Made two tackles, including his first career sack...Combined with Brandon Bell for his first career stop in the first quarter...Sacked Kent State quarterback Mylik Mitchell to end KSU's final drive of the game for a loss of seven yards...Penn State's seven sacks were the most since logging seven at Northwestern in 2011. **at Pitt (9/10):** Made two stops - both solo. **Temple (9/17):** Had one tackle...Combined with Parker Cothren on a second-quarter tackle for loss...A part of a front seven that limited Temple to just 38 rushing yards, the fewest since holding Illinois to 37 yards on the ground in 2015. **at Michigan (9/24):** Made one tackle. **Maryland (10/8):** Made two assisted tackles. **Ohio State (10/22):** Made a career-high three tackles, including two solo. **at Purdue (10/29):** Took down Purdue quarterback David Blough on the first play of the fourth quarter for his second career sack, his lone stop of the game. **Iowa (11/5):** Made one tackle, a solo sack of C.J. Beathard for a loss of seven yards in the fourth quarter. **at Indiana (11/12):** Made two tackles. **Michigan State (11/29):** Dropped running back LJ Scott for a loss of five yards for his only tackle of the game in the first quarter.

### » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

#### Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

KENT STATE 1-1-2; at Pitt 2-0-2; TEMPLE 0-1-1; at Michigan 0-1-1; MINNESOTA 0-0-0; MARYLAND 0-2-2; OHIO STATE 2-1-3; at Purdue 1-0-1; IOWA 1-0-1; at Indiana 2-0-2; at Rutgers DNP; MICHIGAN STATE 1-0-1; vs. Wisconsin 0-0-0; vs. USC 0-0-0.

### » BUCHHOLZ'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

UA-A	TK	FR	FF	I	PBU	SACK	TFL
2016	10-6	16	-	-	-	3.0-20	4.5-26
CAREER	10-6	16	-	-	-	3.0-20	4.5-26

Tackles ..... 3; Ohio State, 10/22/16

Sacks ..... 1.0; Three Times; Last Iowa, 11/5/16

Tackles for Loss ..... 1.0; Four Times; Last Michigan State, 11/26/16



**40** **JASON CABINDA**

6-1 ► 239 ► Sr./Sr. Eligible  
Linebacker ► Flemington, N.J.  
Economics

### » 2016

#### Awards: Named All-Big Ten third team by the conference coaches...

Selected All-Big Ten honorable mention by the media panel...Selected to the Bednarik Award, Butkus Award and Lott IMPACT Trophy Preseason Watch Lists...Awarded a Helmet Sticker by College Football Final following 13-tackle effort vs. Ohio State (10/22)...Named to the *Pro Football Focus* Big Ten Team of the Week after his showing at Rutgers (11/19).

**Season:** Started nine games...Posted eight-or-more tackles in eight of the nine games he played in 2016...Logged eight-or-more stops in 11 of his last 13 games dating back to 2015.

**Kent State (9/3):** Made a team-high 11 tackles for his fourth career double-digit tackle game. **Ohio State (10/22):** Returned after missing five games to make 13 tackles, including a career-high-tying 2.0 tackles for loss...His fourth-quarter takedown of J.T. Barrett for a loss of 13 yards to force fourth-and-23 on the Buckeyes final drive...Broke up one pass...Helped the defense hold Ohio State scoreless in two quarters for the first time since Michigan State in 2015, which was Ohio State's last loss...Helped the defense to a season-high 11.0 tackles for loss, the most TFLs since posting 11.0 vs. Maryland in 2015...The 11.0 tackles for loss were the most yielded by the Buckeyes since giving up 11.0 vs. Alabama (2015)...The 6.0 sacks given up by Ohio State are the most since yielding 7.0 against Virginia Tech (2014). **at Purdue (10/29):** Boasted a game-high nine tackles - six solo...Helped the defense hold Purdue to just 46 yards rushing, the second opponent held under 50 yards rushing in 2016. **Iowa (11/5):** Posted nine tackles...Made a leaping stop of C.J. Beathard to end Iowa's opening drive on a fourth-and-1 attempt, combining with Brandon Bell on the stop...Helped the defense hold Iowa to just 30 yards rushing, which was 137.9 yards below the Hawkeyes' season average (167.9 ypg) entering the game...It was the fewest rushing yards allowed by Penn State since holding Massachusetts to three yards in 2014...It marked the first time Penn State had held two consecutive opponents to 46 yards rushing or fewer since 2007 (Notre Dame, zero yards; FIU, minus-3 yards)...It was the first time since Penn State joined the Big Ten that it held consecutive conference opponents to 50 yards or less of rushing. **at Indiana (11/12):** Totaled nine tackles, including eight solo...Had a solo tackle for loss in the third quarter...Helped the Nittany Lion defense generate nine tackles for loss, marking the seventh time in 2016 the unit has posted at least 9.0 TFL in a game. **at Rutgers (11/19):** Had three solo stops and a career-high two pass breakups...Helped hold Rutgers to just 87 yards of total offense, the fewest given up by Penn State in its Big Ten history and the fewest since 2006 vs. Temple (74)...The five first downs allowed are the fewest in B1G play in Penn State history and fewest since 2006 vs. Temple (2). **Michigan State (11/26):** Totaled eight stops...Combined with Torrence Brown on a third-quarter tackle for loss. **vs. Wisconsin (12/3):** Logged eight tackles. **vs. USC (1/2):** Logged a game-high 11 tackles, including seven solo.

### » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

#### Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

KENT STATE 5-6-11; at Pitt DNP; TEMPLE DNP; at Michigan DNP; MINNESOTA DNP; MARYLAND DNP; OHIO STATE 3-10-13; at Purdue 6-3-9; IOWA 1-8-9; at Indiana 8-1-9; at Rutgers 3-0-3; MICHIGAN STATE 0-8-8; vs. Wisconsin 3-5-8; vs. USC 7-4-11.

### » CABINDA'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

UA-A	TK	FR	FF	I	PBU	SACK	TFL
2014	7-10	17	-	-	-	-	0.5-1
2015	39-61	100	1	-	1	5	2.5-33
2016	36-45	81	-	-	-	3	1.0-13
CAREER	82-116	198	1	-	1	8	3.5-46

Tackles ..... 14; Army, 10/3/15

Sacks ..... 2.0; Army, 10/3/15

Tackles for Loss ..... 2.0; Twice; Last Ohio State, 10/22/16

Forced Fumbles ..... 1; Army, 10/3/15

Interceptions ..... 1; at Northwestern, 11/7/15

Pass Breakups ..... 2; at Rutgers, 11/19/16

## PLAYER BIOS



**1** **CHRISTIAN CAMPBELL**  
6-1 ► 191 ► Sr./Sr. Eligible  
Cornerback ► Phenix City, Ala.  
Journalism

### » 2016

**Season:** Appeared in 12 games with two starts...Made his first start of the season and second of his career vs. Temple (9/17).

**Kent State (9/3):** Recorded three stops...Notched a tackle for loss in the third quarter on a wide receiver screen. **at Pitt (9/10):** Had two tackles, both solo...Had Penn State's only pass breakup. **Temple (9/17):** Had two tackles. **at Michigan (9/24):** Totaled two tackles...Had one pass breakup. **Minnesota (10/1):** Made three tackles in the first half, before leaving the game midway through the second quarter. **at Purdue (10/29):** Made three tackles...Pulled in his second career interception in the fourth quarter to set up Penn State's final score of the game...Helped Penn State force four turnovers. **Iowa (11/5):** Logged two solo hits. **at Indiana (11/12):** Had one tackle...Posted a career-high two pass breakups...Recovered his first career fumble on a muffed punt at the IU 6-yard line in the second quarter, which led to a Penn State touchdown. **at Rutgers (11/19):** Totaled three stops. **Michigan State (11/29):** Made two tackles...Added a pass breakup in the fourth quarter. **vs. Wisconsin (12/3):** Collected a pair of stops. **vs. USC (1/2):** Totaled a career-high six tackles - including three on kickoff coverage...Had one pass breakup.

### » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

#### Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

KENT STATE 1-2-3; at Pitt 2-0-2; TEMPLE 1-1-2; at Michigan 2-0-2; MINNESOTA 1-2-3; MARYLAND DNP; OHIO STATE 0-0-0; at Purdue 1-2-3; IOWA 2-0-2; at Indiana 1-0-1; at Rutgers 1-2-3; MICHIGAN STATE 1-1-2; vs. Wisconsin 1-1-2; vs. USC 3-3-6.

#### » CAMPBELL'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

UA-A	TK	FR	FF	I	PBU	SACK	TF
2014	9-1	10	-	1	2	-	1.0-1
2015	6-10	16	-	-	2	-	1.0-2
CAREER	17-14	31	1	-	1	6	-
	<b>35-25</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>1</b>	-	<b>2</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>3.0-7</b>

**Tackles** ..... 6; vs. USC, 1/2/17  
**Tackles for Loss** ..... 1.0; Three Times: Last Kent State, 9/3/16  
**Fumble Recoveries** ..... 1; at Indiana, 11/12/16  
**Interceptions** ..... 1; Twice at Purdue, 10/29/16  
**Pass Breakups** ..... 2; at Indiana, 11/12/16



The leader of the Nittany Lion defense, rising senior linebacker Jason Cabinda finished third on the team with 81 tackles, despite missing five games due to injury.



**4b** **COLIN CASTAGNA**  
6-4 ► 259 ► Jr./Jr. Eligible  
Defensive End ► Barrington, Ill.  
Kinesiology

### » 2016

**Season:** Appeared in seven games.

**at Michigan (9/24):** Made his season debut. **at Purdue (10/29):** Made his first career tackle in the fourth quarter, a tackle for loss. **at Rutgers (11/19):** Had one tackle.

### » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

#### Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

KENT STATE DNP; at Pitt DNP; TEMPLE DNP; at Michigan 0-0-0; MINNESOTA DNP; MARYLAND 0-0-0; OHIO STATE DNP; at Purdue 1-0-1; IOWA DNP; at Indiana DNP; at Rutgers 0-1-1; MICHIGAN STATE 0-0-0; vs. Wisconsin 0-0-0; vs. USC 0-0-0.

#### » CASTAGNA'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

UA-A	TK	FF	FR	I	PBU	SACK	TF
2015	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2016	1-1	2	-	-	-	-	1.0-2
CAREER	1-1	2	-	-	-	-	1.0-2

**Tackles** ..... 1; Twice: Last at Rutgers, 11/19/16

**Tackles for Loss** ..... 1.0; at Purdue, 10/29/16



**11** **IRVIN CHARLES**

6-4 ► 227 ► Jr./So. Eligible

Wide Receiver ► Sicklerville, N.J.  
Communications

### » 2016

**Season:** Appeared in all 14 games...One of 27 freshmen (22 redshirt, 5 true) to appear in 2016...Saw time on offense and special teams.

**Kent State (9/3):** Made his collegiate debut. **Minnesota (10/1):** Made his first career reception, an 80-yard touchdown catch in the third quarter...Is the first Penn State wide receiver to catch a touchdown for his first career reception since Justin King's 59-yard scoring grab on his first reception vs. Cincinnati in 2005...The 80-yard catch is the longest for a Penn State player since Derek Moye's 80-yarder from Rob Bolden vs. Illinois on Oct. 9, 2010. **Michigan (10/8):** Made a big special teams tackle on a punt return late in the third quarter. **Ohio State (10/22):** Made a solo stop on kickoff return in the third quarter. **at Purdue (10/29):** Made one reception, a 26-yarder which set up Penn State with first-and-goal from the Purdue 2-yard line in the fourth quarter. **at Indiana (11/12):** Made two tackles, including one on kickoff coverage...Returned one kickoff for 11 yards. **at Rutgers (11/19):** Posted one special teams tackle.

### » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

#### Receiving (Receptions-Yards-TD)

KENT STATE 0-0-0; at Pitt 0-0-0; TEMPLE 0-0-0; at Michigan 0-0-0; MINNESOTA 1-80-1; MARYLAND 0-0-0; OHIO STATE 0-0-0; at Purdue 1-26-0; IOWA 0-0-0; at Indiana 0-0-0; MICHIGAN STATE 0-0-0; vs. Wisconsin 0-0-0; vs. USC 0-0-0.

#### » CHARLES' CAREER OFFENSIVE STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

Att.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG	Rec.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG
2016	-	-	-	2-106	53.0	1	80
CAREER	-	-	-	2-106	53.0	1	80

**Receptions** ..... 1; Twice: Last at Purdue, 10/29/16  
**Receiving Yards** ..... 80; Minnesota, 10/1/16  
**Receiving Touchdowns** ..... 1; Minnesota, 10/1/16  
**Longest Reception** ..... 80; Minnesota, 10/1/16

**Note:** Has five tackles, including four on special teams in 2016...Has one kickoff return for 11 yards at Indiana (11/12/16).



**5b** **TYRELL CHAVIS**

6-3 ► 312 ► Sr./Sr. Eligible

Defensive Tackle ► Richmond, Va.  
African American Studies

### » 2016

**Season:** Appeared in all 14 games.

**Kent State (9/3):** Made his Penn State debut...Totaled two tackles. **at Pitt (9/10):** Had one stop. **at Michigan (9/24):** Tied a career high with two stops. **Minnesota (10/1):** Made one tackle. **Maryland (10/8):** Recorded his first career tackle for loss late in the third quarter for his only stop of the game. **Ohio State (10/22):** Made one tackle. **Iowa (11/5):** Notched one tackle. **at Indiana (11/12):** Made one tackle. **Michigan State (11/26):** Made one tackle. **vs. USC (1/2):** Had two tackles.

### » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

#### Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

KENT STATE 0-2-2; at Pitt 0-1-1; TEMPLE 0-0-0; at Michigan 0-2-2; MINNESOTA 0-1-1; MARYLAND 1-0-1; OHIO STATE 0-1-1; at Purdue 0-0-0; IOWA 0-1-1; at Indiana 0-1-1; at Rutgers 0-0-0; MICHIGAN STATE 0-1-1; vs. Wisconsin 0-0-0; vs. USC 1-1-2.

#### » CHAVIS' CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

UA-A	TK	FF	FR	I	PBU	SACK	TF
2016	2-11	13	-	-	-	-	1.0-2
CAREER	2-11	13	-	-	-	-	1.0-2

**Tackles** ..... 2; Three Times: Last vs. USC, 1/2/17  
**Tackles for Loss** ..... 1.0; Maryland, 10/8/16



**33** **JAKE COOPER**

6-1 ► 225 ► Jr./Jr. Eligible

Linebacker ► Doylestown, Pa.  
Communications

### » 2016

**Awards:** Named Academic All-Big Ten.

**Season:** Appeared in six games with two starts...Made his first start of the season and second of his career vs. Temple (9/17)...Missed nine games due to injury, including the final six games of the season.

**at Pitt (9/10):** Made two stops. **Temple (9/17):** Collected five tackles...A part of a front seven that limited Temple to just 38 rushing yards, the fewest since holding Illinois to 37 yards on the ground in 2015. **at Michigan (9/24):** Tied a career high with six tackles. **Minnesota (10/1):** Notched two tackles.

### » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

#### Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

KENT STATE 0-0-0; at Pitt 0-2-2; TEMPLE 1-4-5; at Michigan 2-4-6; MINNESOTA 1-1-2; MARYLAND INJ; OHIO STATE INJ; at Purdue 0-0-0; IOWA INJ; at Indiana INJ; at Rutgers INJ; MICHIGAN STATE INJ; vs. Wisconsin INJ; vs. USC INJ.

# PLAYER BIOS

## » COOPER'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	I	PBU	SACK	TFL
2015	9-5	14	-	-	-	1	1.0-11	2.5-15
2016	4-11	15	-	-	-	-	-	-
CAREER	13-16	29	-	-	-	1	1.0-11	2.5-15

Tackles ..... 6; Twice: Last at Michigan, 9/24/16  
 Sacks ..... 1.0; Buffalo, 9/12/15  
 Tackles for Loss ..... 1.0; Twice: Last vs. Maryland, 10/24/15  
 Pass Breakups ..... 1; Rutgers, 9/19/15



**51** **CURTIS**  
**COTHRAN**

6-5 ► 293 ► Sr.^/Sr. Eligible  
 Defensive Tackle ► Newtown, Pa.  
 Criminology

## » 2016

**Season:** Appeared in 10 games with eight starts...One of 18 first-time starters in 2016...Made his first career start vs. Ohio State (10/22)...Switched from defensive end to defensive tackle during 2016 spring practice.

**Minnesota (10/1):** Made one tackle. **Maryland (10/8):** Had one assisted stop. **Ohio State (10/22):** Had one assisted stop...Helped the defense hold Ohio State scoreless in two quarters for the first time since Michigan State in 2015, which was Ohio State's last loss. **Iowa (11/5):** Made three tackles...Combined with Garrett Sickels for a third-quarter tackle for loss...Helped the defense hold Iowa to just 30 yards rushing, which was 137.9 yards below the Hawkeyes' season average (167.9 ypg) entering the game...It was the fewest rushing yards allowed by Penn State since holding Massachusetts to three yards in 2014...It marked the first time Penn State had held two consecutive opponents to 46 yards rushing or fewer since 2007 (Notre Dame, zero yards; FIU, minus-3 yards)...It was the first time since Penn State joined the Big Ten that it held consecutive conference opponents to 50 yards or less of rushing. **at Indiana (11/22):** Had one tackle. **at Rutgers (11/19):** Posted two tackles...Helped hold Rutgers to just 87 yards of total offense, the fewest given up by Penn State in its Big Ten history and the fewest since 2006 vs. Temple (74)...The five first downs allowed are the fewest in B1G play in Penn State history and fewest since 2006 vs. Temple (2). **Michigan State (11/26):** Logged four tackles, including 1.0 tackle for loss...Combined with Evan Schwan on a third-quarter sack of Tyler O'Connor. **vs. Wisconsin (12/3):** Made a career-high five tackles...Had a career-best three solo tackles for loss in the game...Made a stop behind the line of scrimmage on Bradrick Shaw to force a field goal attempt - which Wisconsin missed - on the Badgers' opening drive of the third quarter, leading to Trace McSorley's 70-yard touchdown pass to Saeed Blacknall. **vs. USC (1/2):** Made three tackles.

## » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

### Tackles (Total-Solo-Assisted)

KENT STATE 0-2-2; at Pitt 0-1-1; TEMPLE 2-5-7; at Michigan 0-1-1; MINNESOTA 0-2-2; MARYLAND 1-1-2; OHIO STATE 0-1-1; at Purdue 0-0-0; IOWA 2-1-3; at Indiana 1-0-1; at Rutgers 1-1-2; MICHIGAN STATE 0-4-4; vs. Wisconsin 5-0-5; vs. USC 2-1-3.

## » COTHRAN'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	I	PBU	SACK	TFL
2014	1-0	1	-	-	-	-	-	1.0-2
2015	5-11	16	-	-	-	-	2.5-27	4.0-31
2016	11-10	21	-	-	-	-	0.5-5	4.5-15
CAREER	17-21	38	-	-	-	-	3.0-32	9.5-48

Tackles ..... 5; vs. Wisconsin, 12/3/16  
 Sacks ..... 1.0; Twice: Last San Diego State, 9/26/15  
 Tackles for Loss ..... 3.0; vs. Wisconsin, 12/3/16



**41** **PARKER**  
**COTHRAN**

6-4 ► 302 ► Sr.^/Sr. Eligible  
 Defensive Tackle ► Huntsville, Ala.  
 Recreation, Parks & Tourism Management

## » 2016

**Awards:** Earned All-Big Ten honorable mention from the conference coaches.

**Season:** Started 13 games...One of 18 first-time starters in 2016.

**Kent State (9/3):** Made his first career start...Made two tackles...Combined with Antoine White for a fourth-quarter sack...Penn State's seven sacks were the most since logging seven at Northwestern in 2011. **at Pitt (9/10):** Made one stop. **Temple (9/17):** Totaled a career-high seven tackles...Added a career-best 2.5 tackles for loss...Combined with Ryan Buchholz for a second-quarter sack, his fourth career game with 0.5 sack...A part of a front seven that limited Temple to just 38 rushing yards, the fewest since holding Illinois to 37 yards on the ground in 2015. **at Michigan (9/24):** Had one tackle. **Minnesota (10/1):** Had two tackles...Combined with Brandon Smith for a tackle for loss in the first quarter. **Maryland (10/8):** Logged two tackles...A part of a defense that allowed a season-low 11 first downs...Helped limit Maryland 14 points - all in the first half - 170 rushing yards and 270 yards of total offense, after the Terps entered averaging 43.2 points, 300.0 rushing and 466.2 yards of total offense per game. **Ohio State (10/22):** Notched one tackle, a combined tackle for loss with Jason Cabinda in the first quarter...Helped the defense hold Ohio State scoreless in two quarters for the first time since Michigan State in 2015, which was Ohio State's last loss...Helped the defense to a season-high 11.0 tackles for loss, the most TFLs since posting 11.0 vs. Maryland in 2015...The 11.0 tackles for loss were the most yielded by the Buckeyes since giving up 11.0 vs. Alabama (2013). **at Indiana (11/22):** Had one tackle. **at Rutgers (11/19):** Ranked second on the team with four tackles...Combined with Koa Farmer on a tackle for loss in the second quarter...Helped hold Rutgers to just 87 yards of total offense, the fewest given up by Penn State in its Big Ten history and the fewest since 2006 vs. Temple (74)...The five first downs allowed are the fewest in B1G play in Penn State history and fewest since 2006 vs. Temple (2)...Aided the Nittany Lions in compiling nine tackles for loss, the eighth time in 2016 they recorded at least 9.0 stops behind the line of scrimmage. **Michigan State (11/26):** Sacked Tyler O'Connor in the fourth quarter for his lone stop of the game. **vs. Wisconsin (12/3):** Had two tackles. **vs. USC (1/2):** Made two stops.

## » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

### Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

KENT STATE 0-2-2; at Pitt 0-1-1; TEMPLE 2-5-7; at Michigan 0-1-1; MINNESOTA 0-2-2; MARYLAND 1-1-2; OHIO STATE 0-1-1; at Purdue DNP; IOWA 0-0-0; at Indiana 1-0-1; at Rutgers 3-1-4; MICHIGAN STATE 1-0-1; vs. Wisconsin 1-1-2; vs. USC 0-2-2.

## » COTHRAN'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	I	PBU	SACK	TFL
2014	8-3	11	-	-	-	-	0.5-1	2.5-6
2015	4-9	13	-	-	-	-	1	0.5-2
2016	9-17	26	-	-	-	-	2.0-6	5.5-13
CAREER	21-29	50	-	-	-	-	1	3.0-9

Tackles ..... 7; Temple, 9/17/16  
 Sacks ..... 1.0; Michigan State, 11/26/16  
 Tackles for Loss ..... 2.5; Temple, 9/17/16  
 Pass Breakups ..... 1; Michigan, 11/21/15



**12** **DESI**  
**DAVIS**

5-11 ► 195 ► Sr./Jr. Eligible  
 Cornerback ► Ardmore, Pa.  
 Psychology

## » 2016

**Awards:** Named the Scout Team Defensive Player of the Year at the annual Nittany Lion Football Banquet.



**95** **TYLER**  
**DAVIS**

5-11 ► 195 ► Sr.^/Sr. Eligible  
 Kicker/Punter ► St. Charles, Ill.  
 Economics

## » CAREER NOTES & RECORDS

**Career:** Ranks No. 12 on Penn State's career field goals made charts with 30...Owns the school record for consecutive field goals made with 18, breaking Sam Ficken's mark of 15 straight makes between the 2012 and 2013 seasons...Had his consecutive field goals made streak snapped on a first quarter blocked kick vs. Ohio State...The 18-straight made field goals were tied for the longest streak in the Big Ten since Brad Craddock (UMD) converted 24-straight in from 2013-14...The 18 consecutive field goals are tied for the fourth-longest streak in Big Ten history.

**Season:** Tied the Penn State single-season record with 62 converted extra points attempts, equaling Brett Conway's mark from 1994...Joins Brett Conway (62, 1994) and Kevin Kelly (60) as the only place kickers with 50-plus made extra points in a single season...Tied for No. 2 on Penn State's single-season field goals made charts (22), trailing only Sam Ficken's 24 makes from 2014...Finished No. 5 on the PSU single-season scoring charts (128 points)...Davis and Saquon Barkley became the first set of teammates to score 100 points in the same season...Tied the Big Ten single-season kick scoring record with 128 points, equaling the mark set by Ohio State's Sean Nuernberger in 2014.

## » 2016

**Awards:** Earned the Vlade Award (most accurate collegiate kicker) from the Columbus Touchdown Club...Selected to *Phil Steele's* All-Big Ten first team...Earned a spot on the *Athlon Sports* All-Big Ten second team...Named All-Big Ten first team by the conference coaches...Earned All-Big Ten second team from the media...Is the first Nittany Lion kicker to earn first team honors since Kevin Kelly in 2008...Named *Pro Football Focus* All-Big Ten second team...Selected to the All-ECAC first team...Named one of 20 semifinalists for the Lou Groza Award...Named one of three Lou Groza Award Stars of the Week on Oct. 3, 2016, following his effort vs. Minnesota, which included a game-tying field goal in the final seconds of regulation...Earned Big Ten Co-Special Teams Player of the Week (McCarron - Iowa) following a 4-for-4 effort on field goal attempts and a career-high 15 points at Rutgers (11/19)...Earned the John Bruno Memorial Award (outstanding member of special teams) at the annual Nittany Lion Football Banquet.

**Season:** Started all 14 games at place kicker...Off to the best kicking start in Penn State history.

**Final Rankings:** Led the Big Ten and was No. 8 nationally with a .917 field goal percentage...No. 2 in the B1G and No. 17 in the FBS in field goals per game (1.57 fgpg)...No. 2 in the Big Ten and No. 19 nationally in scoring (9.1 ppg)...No. 2 in the Big Ten and No. 11 nationally in total points (128)...Had the third-most extra point makes among kicker with a perfect percentage.

**Kent State (9/3):** Converted on all five kicks for nine points...Was 3-for-3 on extra points...Connected on field goals of 29 and 28 yards. **at Pitt (9/10):** Connected on a 38-yard field goal in the fourth quarter...Nailed all four extra point attempts. **Temple (9/17):** Tallied 10 points...Knocked in both field goal attempts and all four extra points...Converted field goals of 30 and a season-long 40 yards. **at Michigan (9/24):** Connected on a 21-yard field goal in the third quarter...Converted his only extra point attempt. **Minnesota (10/1):** Converted three field goals (19, 27, 40 yards) to push his streak to 17 straight makes to begin his career and set the school record...Made both extra point attempts to account for 11 points. **Maryland (10/8):** Handled five PAT attempts and converted his only field goal of the game for eight points...Connected on a 30-yard field goal in the second quarter to extend his school-record streak to 18 straight makes. **Ohio State (10/22):** Had his consecutive field goals made streak snapped on a blocked first-quarter attempt from 39 yards...Converted a field goal in the fourth quarter from 34 yards out...Hit all three extra point attempts. **at Purdue (10/29):** Converted all 10 of his kicks...Scored 14 points, with a pair of field goals and a career-best eight extra points...Connected on field goals of 29 and 33 yards. **Iowa (11/5):** Converted all five extra point attempts and was 2-of-3 on field goals...Scored 11 points...His unsuccessful field goal attempt was blocked in the first quarter...Converted field goals of 30 and 37 yards. **at Indiana (11/12):** Converted all seven kicks on the afternoon...Hit his only field goal attempt, a 39-yarder...Was 6-for-6 on extra points. **at Rutgers (11/19):** Connected on all seven kicks in wet and windy conditions...Converted field goals of 32, 34, 40 and 32 yards...His four made field goals are a career high total...Made all three extra point attempts...The 15 points scored are a career high. **Michigan State (11/26):** Scored nine points with one field goal and six extra points...Connected on a 35-yard field goal in the second quarter. **vs. Wisconsin (12/3):** Tallied eight points in the game...Converted his only field goal attempt, a 24-yard attempt...Hit all five extra points. **vs. USC (1/2):** Converted all seven extra point attempts...Hit eight kickoffs for an average of 57.6 yards and one touchback.

## » DAVIS' CAREER KICKOFF STATISTICS

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TB	OB
2015	10	595	59.5	3	1
2016	8	461	57.6	1	1
CAREER	18	1,056	58.7	4	2



**39** **FRANK**  
**DiLEO**

5-9 ► 218 ► Jr./So. Eligible

Linebacker ► Elmhurst, Ill.

Business Administration

## » 2016

**Season:** Appeared in one game...Made his collegiate debut vs. Michigan State (11/26)...One of 27 freshmen (22 redshirt, 5 true) to appear in 2016.



**45** **JOE**  
**DuMOND**

5-10 ► 240 ► So./So. Eligible

Linebacker ► Philadelphia, Pa.

DUS

## » 2016

**Season:** Appeared in one game...Made his collegiate debut vs. Michigan State (11/26)...One of 27 freshmen (22 redshirt, 5 true) to appear in 2016.

## » DAVIS' CAREER SCORING STATISTICS &amp; GAME HIGHS

	FGM-A	%	0-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	LG	XP	PTS
2015	8-8	100.0	2-2	3-3	2-2	1-1	42	11-11	35
2016	22-24	.917	1-1	6-6	12-14	3-3	40	62-62	128
CAREER	30-32	.938	3-3	9-9	14-16	4-4	42	73-73	163

**Points Scored** ..... 15; at Rutgers, 11/19/16

**PATs Made** ..... 8; at Purdue, 10/29/16

**Field Goals Made** ..... 4; at Rutgers, 11/19/16

**Field Goals Attempted** ..... 4; at Rutgers, 11/19/16

**Longest Field Goal** ..... 42 yards; Illinois, 10/31/15



Tyler Davis tied the Big Ten single-season kicks scoring record with 128 points via 62 extra points and 22 field goals. The rising senior kicker was selected as the Wade Award winner by the Touchdown Club of Columbus as the nation's most accurate kicker.



**7**

**KOA**  
**FARMER**

6-1 ► 230 ► Sr./Jr. Eligible

Linebacker ► Lake View Terrace, Calif.

Criminology

## » 2016

**Awards:** Named to the *Pro Football Focus* National Team of the Week following his performance at Purdue (10/29).

**Season:** Appeared in all 14 games with two starts...Moved from safety to linebacker following the Temple game...Made his first career start vs. Maryland (10/8) at linebacker and his second in a homecoming game vs. USC at the Rose Bowl (1/2)...One of 18 first-time starters in 2016.

**Kent State (9/3):** Made his first career tackle in the fourth quarter, a combined stop with Jason Cabinda. **at Michigan (9/24):** Made three tackles. **Minnesota (10/1):** Had three tackles...Made his first career tackle for loss with a combined stop with Shareef Miller.

**Maryland (10/8):** Notched a career-high five tackles...Logged his first career sack and forced fumble on the same play in the second quarter...Combined with Brandon Smith on a third-quarter TFL to give him a career-high 1.5 tackles for loss on the day...A part of a defense that allowed a season-low 11 first downs...Helped limit Maryland 14 points - all in the first half - 170 rushing yards and 270 yards of total offense, after the Terps entered averaging 43.2 points, 300.0 rushing and 466.2 yards of total offense per game. **Ohio State (10/22):** Made two tackles, one on special teams and one on defense. **at Purdue (10/29):** Made three stops...Added his first career pass breakup in the second quarter...Returned one kickoff for three yards. **Iowa (11/5):** Totaled three stops, including a fourth-quarter sack of C.J. Beathard on third-and-2. **at Indiana (11/12):** Had three tackles. **at Rutgers (11/19):** Made one stop, a combined tackle for loss with Parker Cothren in the second quarter...Aided the Nittany Lions in compiling nine tackles for loss, the eighth time in 2016 they recorded at least 9.0 stops behind the line of scrimmage.

**Michigan State (11/26):** Made two tackles. **vs. Wisconsin (12/3):** Recorded a fourth-quarter sack of Bart Houston for his lone stop. **vs. USC (1/2):** Posted two stops in a game played less than 20 miles from his hometown.

## » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

## Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

KENT STATE 0-1-1; at Pitt 0-0-0; TEMPLE 0-0-0; at Michigan 2-1-3; MINNESOTA 2-1-3; MARYLAND 1-4-5; OHIO STATE 1-1-2; at Purdue 2-1-3; IOWA 3-0-3; at Indiana 0-3-3; at Rutgers 0-1-1; MICHIGAN STATE 0-2-2; vs. Wisconsin 1-0-1; vs. USC 2-0-2.

## » FARMER'S CAREER STATISTICS &amp; GAME HIGHS

	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	I	PBU	SACK	TFL
2015	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2016	14-15	29	1	-	-	1	3.0-13	4.5-16
CAREER	14-15	29	1	-	-	1	3.0-13	4.5-16

**Tackles** ..... 5; Maryland, 10/8/16

**Sacks** ..... 1.0; Three Times: Last vs. Wisconsin, 12/3/16

**Tackles for Loss** ..... 1.5; Maryland, 10/8/16

**Forced Fumbles** ..... 1; Maryland, 10/8/16

**Pass Breakups** ..... 1; at Purdue, 10/29/16

## PLAYER BIOS



Freshman punter Blake Gillikin averaged 42.8 yards per punt in 2016, which ranks No. 7 on Penn State's single-season chart. He also posted a perfect 4.0 grade-point average during the fall semester in the Schreyer Honors College.

### 1b BILLY FESSLER

5-11 ► 187 ► Sr./Jr. Eligible  
Quarterback ► Erie, Pa.  
Finance

#### » 2016

**Season:** Appeared in four games...Held on all placements from Nov. 12-26.

**at Purdue (10/29):** Made his collegiate debut in the fourth quarter.



### 88 MIKE GESICKI

6-6 ► 253 ► Sr./Sr. Eligible  
Tight End/H-Back ► Manahawkin, N.J.  
Advertising & Public Relations

#### » CAREER NOTES & RECORDS

**Season:** Owns the single-season record for receptions by a tight end with 48, passing Andrew Quarless (41, 2009), and yardage by a tight end at 679, besting Mickey Shuler's single-season record of 600 receiving yards (1977)...Tied the Penn State record for touchdown catches for a tight end (5).

#### » 2016

**Awards:** Earned third-team All-American honors from *College Sports Madness*...Selected to the *Athlon Sports All-Big Ten* second team...Named to *Phil Steele's All-Big Ten* third team...Named All-Big Ten second team by the media panel...Selected All-Big Ten honorable mention by the conference coaches...First Penn State tight end to earn All-Big Ten first or second team honors since Kyle Carter (first team) in 2012...Earned All-ECAC honorable mention honors...Selected to the Mackey Award Preseason Watch List...Is on the Mackey Midseason Watch List...Named Academic All-Big Ten for the second time in his career.

**Season:** Started all 14 games...Had four or more catches in seven of the last 12 games...Doubled his career receiving yardage total entering the season.

**Final Rankings:** Led the Big Ten and was tied for No. 7 nationally in receptions by a tight end (48)...Ranked No. 1 in the B1G and No. 7 in FBS in receiving yards by a tight end (679)...Led the Big Ten and was tied for No. 13 in FBS in touchdowns by a tight end (5).

**Kent State (9/3):** Made three receptions and one touchdown grab...Totaled 49 yards receiving. **at Pitt (9/10):** Caught four passes for 47 yards. **Temple (9/17):** Logged 62 receiving yards on two catches...Hauled in a 52-yarder with a one-handed grab in the third quarter. **at Michigan (9/24):** Grabbed career-high five passes for 23 yards. **Minnesota (10/1):** Tied a career high with five grabs for 70 yards...Hauled in a career-long 53 reception to set up first-and-goal, eventually leading to a Trace McSorley touchdown run. **Maryland (10/8):** Pulled in four receptions for 26 yards and one touchdown...Capped Penn State opening drive with a 5-yard catch-and-run that ended in a dive into the end zone. **Ohio State (10/22):** Caught four passes for 46 yards...Had a 16-yard grab on Penn State fourth quarter touchdown drive...Pulled in a 26-yarder on his first catch of the game on Penn State's opening drive. **at Purdue (10/29):** Made one catch, a 23-yard grab on third-and-10 on Penn State's opening drive, which eventually ended in a Saquon Barkley touchdown run. **Iowa (11/5):** Pulled down four catches for 65 yards...Caught three passes on Penn State's third scoring drive of the game, including a 43-yard catch-and-run that set up Trace McSorley's 1-yard touchdown run. **at Indiana (11/12):** Tied a career high with five catches for a career-best 88 yards...Made a 45-yard reception in the first quarter. **at Rutgers (11/19):** Tied his career high for the second straight week with five grabs...Totaled a game-high 47 receiving yards. **Michigan State (11/26):** Pulled in two passes for 65 yards and one touchdown...Made a leaping 45-yard grab and fell backwards into the end zone for a touchdown in the third quarter. **vs. Wisconsin (12/3):** Caught three passes for 58 yards and one touchdown...Hauled in a 33-yard touchdown grab to open the scoring for Penn State in the first quarter, his first TD reception outside of Beaver Stadium. **vs. USC (1/2):** Made one catch for 11 yards...One reception was an 11-yard touchdown grab with 54 seconds remaining in the second quarter to pull Penn State within six points at the half.

#### » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

##### Receiving (Receptions-Yards-TD)

KENT STATE 3-49-1; at Pitt 4-47-0; TEMPLE 2-62-0; at Michigan 5-23-0; MINNESOTA 5-70-0; MARYLAND 4-26-1; OHIO STATE 4-46-0; at Purdue 1-23-0; IOWA 4-65-0; at Indiana 5-88-0; at Rutgers 5-47-0; MICHIGAN STATE 2-64-1; vs. Wisconsin 3-58-1; vs. USC 1-11-1.

##### » GESICKI'S CAREER OFFENSIVE STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	Att.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG	Rec.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG
2014	-	-	-	-	11-114	10.4	-	30
2015	-	-	-	-	13-125	9.6	1	33
2016	-	-	-	-	48-679	14.1	5	53
CAREER	-	-	-	-	72-918	12.8	6	53

**Receptions** ..... 5; Four Times: Last at Rutgers, 11/19/16

**Receiving Yards** ..... 88; at Indiana, 11/12/16

**Receiving Touchdowns** ..... 1; Six Times: Last vs. USC, 1/2/17

**Longest Reception** ..... 53 yards; Minnesota, 10/1/16



### 93 BLAKE GILLIKIN

6-2 ► 198 ► So./So. Eligible  
Punter/Kicker ► Smyrna, Ga.  
Science

#### » CAREER NOTES & RECORDS

Broke the Penn State freshman season punting average record with 42.8 yards per punt, surpassing the record set by Jeremy Kapinos in 2003 (41.9)...Ranks No. 7 on Penn State's single-season chart...Set the Penn State freshman record for punting average in a game with five kicks for an average of 50.8 yards in the Rose Bowl against USC.

#### » 2016

**Awards:** Selected to the *ESPN.com True Freshman All-America Team*...Named *Campus Insiders Freshman All-America* honorable mention...Named to the *ESPN.com Big Ten All-Bowl Team*...Earned All-Big Ten honorable mention from the conference coaches & media panel...Named to the *BTN.com* and *ESPN.com All-Big Ten Freshman Team*...Was a candidate for the Ray Guy Award, given to the nation's top collegiate punter.

**Season:** Started all 14 games at punter...Became just the third true freshman to start at punter since 1946 (1979, Ralph Giacomarri; 2014 Daniel Pasquariello)...One of 18 first-time starters in 2016...One of 27 freshmen (22 redshirt, 5 true) to appear in 2016...Had seven kicks downed inside the opponent's 10-yard line.

**Final Rankings:** No. 30 in the NCAA and No. 3 in the Big Ten in punting average (42.8 ypp).

**Kent State (9/3):** Hit six punts for 282 yards...Averaged 47.0 yards per punt, which is the sixth-best performance by a freshman in Penn State history...Booted a long punt of 58 yards...Pinned two punts inside the 20. **at Pitt (9/10):** Punted five times - four in the first half - for 233 yards...Averaged 46.6 yards per punt...His 69-yard punt in the fourth quarter was a career long and Penn State's longest punt since Anthony Fera had a 69-yard punt (vs. Purdue, 2011)...The 69-yard punt is the second-longest punt by a freshman in Penn State history behind Fera's 74-yarder (2010)...Pinned the Panthers inside their own 20-yard line on three occasions, including two inside the 10...Pinned Pitt at its own 1-yard line with his first punt of the game. **Temple (9/17):** Hit three punts, including just one in the second half, averaging 35.0 yards per punt...Pinned Temple at its own 1-yard line on his first punt...Had two punts downed inside the Temple 20. **at Michigan (9/24):** Punted six times for an average of 45.0 yards...Pinned Michigan inside its own 10-yard line on a third quarter punt. **Minnesota (10/1):** Punted six times for an average of 39.2 yards...Dropped one punt inside the Minnesota 20. **Maryland (10/8):** Hit three punts for an average of 34.0 yards...Downed two punts inside the Maryland 20...Pinned Maryland at its own 7-yard line on his second punt of the afternoon...Had a punt blocked in the second quarter...Didn't handle punting duties in the second half. **Ohio State (10/22):** Hit a career-high seven punts for 264 yards...Pinned three punts inside the OSU 20, including his sixth punt inside an opponent's 10-yard line in the first quarter...Four punts were fair caught by the Buckeyes. **at Purdue (10/29):** Punted three times for an average of 41.3 yards...Had one punt of 50-plus yards. **Iowa (11/5):** Averaged 40.5 yards on two punts...Had two punts inside the Iowa 20-yard line...One punt was downed at the Iowa 11-yard line and one was fair caught at the 14-yard line. **at Indiana (11/12):** Booted six punts for an average of 38.8 yards...Had three kicks end in fair catches...Hit a long punt of 50 yards. **at Rutgers (11/19):** Hit three punts for an average of 47.7 yards...Knocked one punt inside the RU 20-yard line...Had one punt of 50 yards...One punt was fair caught. **Michigan State (11/26):** Averaged 46.8 yards per punt on four kicks...Had two punts downed inside the MSU 20-yard line, including one at the Spartan 2-yard line...Recorded one 50-plus yard punt with a 54-yard effort on his second kick of the game. **vs. Wisconsin (12/3):** Hit a pair of punts for an average of 49.0 yards per punt...Had one punt land inside the Wisconsin 20-yard line. **vs. USC (1/2):** Averaged 50.8 yards per punt, which is sixth-best in Penn State history...Had a long punt of 65 yards, which ranks No. 3 by a freshman punter in school history...Had one punt downed inside the USC 20-yard line...Made his first career tackle on a first quarter punt.

##### » GILLIKIN'S CAREER PUNTING STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	Punts	Yards	Avg.	I-20	FC	50+	LG	Blk.
2016	61	2,611	42.8	21	18	10	69	1
Career	61	2,611	42.8	21	18	10	69	1

**Punt Attempts** ..... 7; Ohio State, 10/22/16

**Punt Yards** ..... 282; Kent State, 9/3/16

**Punt Average** ..... 50.8; vs. USC, 1/2/17

**Longest Punt** ..... 69; at Pitt, 9/10/16

*Note: Made one career tackle, vs. USC (1/2/17).*

**30 KEVIN GIVENS**

6-1 ► 281 ► Jr./So. Eligible

Defensive Tackle ► Altoona, Pa.

DUS

## » 2016

**Awards:** Named to *Campus Insiders* Freshman All-America second team...Selected to the *BTN.com* and *ESPN.com* All-Big Ten Freshman Team...Named to the *Pro Football Focus* Big Ten Team of the Week following his performance vs. No. 2 Ohio State (10/22).

**Season:** Appeared in all 14 games with six starts...One of 18 first-time starters in 2016...One of 27 freshmen (22 redshirt, 5 true) to appear in 2016.

**Final Rankings:** No. 3 in the Big Ten and tied for No. 30 in the FBS with two fumble recoveries.

**Kent State (9/3):** Started his first career game...Made three stops... Recorded his first career tackle in the first quarter, a combined stop with Christian Campbell. **Temple (9/17):** Collected two tackles... Recorded his first career tackle for loss, a third-quarter solo takedown behind the line...A part of a front seven that limited Temple to just 38 rushing yards, the fewest since holding Illinois to 37 yards on the ground in 2015. **at Michigan (9/24):** Tied a career high with three stops. **Minnesota (10/1):** Recorded a career-high-tying three tackles...Had one tackle for loss, including a combined sack with Robert Windsor in the fourth quarter. **Maryland (10/8):** Had one tackle...Made the first full sack of his career with a solo takedown of Tyrell Pigrome in the fourth quarter...A part of a defense that allowed a season-low 11 first downs...Helped limit Maryland 14 points - all in the first half - 170 rushing yards and 270 yards of total offense, after the Terps entered averaging 43.2 points, 300.0 rushing and 466.2 yards of total offense per game. **Ohio State (10/22):** Made two tackles...Combined with Evan Schwan on a fourth down sack of J.T. Barrett to seal Penn State's first win over a top-2 team since 1990 (at No. 1 Notre Dame) and the first at home since 1982 (No. 2 Nebraska)...Helped the defense to a season-high 11.0 tackles for loss, the most TFLs since posting 11.0 vs. Maryland in 2015...The 11.0 tackles for loss were the most yielded by the Buckeyes since giving up 11.0 vs. Alabama (2015)...The 6.0 sacks given up by Ohio State are the most since yielding 7.0 against Virginia Tech (2014). **at Purdue (10/29):** Recovered his first career fumble in the fourth quarter...Helped Penn State force four turnovers. **Iowa (11/5):** Made three hits, including a third-quarter sack of C.J. Beathard. **at Indiana (11/12):** Logged one tackle...Combined with Garrett Sickels on a first quarter sack of Richard Lagow...Broke up his first career pass in the fourth quarter...Recovered the second of Penn State's five fumbles...Was a part of a defense that forced a season-high five turnovers, the most since forcing five against Maryland in 2015...Penn State's five fumble recoveries were its most since recovering five versus FIU in 2007...Helped the Nittany Lion defense generate nine tackles for loss, marking the seventh time in 2016 the unit has posted at least 9.0 TFL in a game. **at Rutgers (11/19):** Notched two stops...Made a solo tackle for loss in the second quarter...Aided the Nittany Lions in compiling nine tackles for loss, the eighth time in 2016 they recorded at least 9.0 stops behind the line of scrimmage. **Michigan State (11/26):** Made two tackles...Sacked Tyler O'Conner for a loss of eight yards on the final play of the third quarter. **vs. Wisconsin (12/3):** Had two solo stops...Made a solo stop on third down to force a Badger punt in the fourth quarter. **vs. USC (1/2):** Had two tackles.

## » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

**Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)**

KENT STATE 0-3-3; at Pitt 0-0-0; TEMPLE 1-1-2; at Michigan 2-1-3; MINNESOTA 1-2-3; MARYLAND 1-0-1; OHIO STATE 0-2-2; at Purdue 0-0-0; IOWA 2-1-3; at Indiana 0-1-1; at Rutgers 1-1-2; MICHIGAN STATE 1-1-2; vs. Wisconsin 2-0-2; vs. USC 1-1-2.

## » GIVENS' CAREER STATISTICS &amp; GAME HIGHS

	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	I	PBU	SACK	TFL
2016	12-14	26	-	2	-	1	4.5-28	7.0-33
CAREER	12-14	26	-	2	-	1	4.5-28	7.0-33

Tackles ..... 3; Four Times: Last Iowa, 11/5/16  
 Sacks ..... 1.0; Three Times: Last Michigan State, 11/26/16  
 Tackles for Loss ..... 1.0; Five Times: Last Michigan State, 11/26/16  
 Fumble Recoveries ..... 1; Twice: Last at Indiana, 11/12/16  
 Pass Breakup: ..... 1; at Indiana, 11/12/16

**57 STEVEN GONZALEZ**

6-4 ► 345 ► Jr./So. Eligible

Offensive Line ► Union City, N.J.

History

## » 2016

**Season:** Appeared in 11 games with three starts...One of 18 first-time starters in 2016...One of 27 freshmen (22 redshirt, 5 true) to appear in 2016...Made his first career start at Rutgers (11/19).

**Kent State (9/3):** Made his first career appearance. **at Indiana (11/12):** Saw his most extensive action of the season after Paris Palmer left the game in the first quarter. **at Rutgers (11/19):** Helped Penn State pile up eighth game of 400-plus yards and the fourth game in 2016 with at least 500 yards...Protected Trace McSorley to the tune of 210 yards passing, his eighth 200-yard passing game of the season. **Michigan State (11/26):** Instrumental in Penn State gaining 463 yards of total offense, its ninth game with at least 400 yards...Helped Trace McSorley pile up 389 yards of total offense, the sixth-most in program history...McSorley threw for 376 yards - the fifth-highest total in school history - with four touchdown passes and rushed for 13 yards. **vs. Wisconsin (12/3):** Helped Penn State score 38 points, the most scored by a Wisconsin opponent since 2014 (Ohio State, 59)...Protected quarterback Trace McSorley, who threw for 384 yards, which ranks No. 4 in Penn State history and broke the Big Ten Championship game passing record...Also gave McSorley time to connect on a Big Ten Championship game-record four passing touchdowns...Paved the way for Saquon Barkley's 83 yards rushing, which enabled him to break Evan Royster's Penn State sophomore rushing record. **vs. USC (1/2):** Helped Penn State become the first team in Rose Bowl history with a 175-yard rusher and receiver in a game (Chris Godwin, 187 receiving yards and Saquon Barkley, 194 rushing yards)...Barkley and Godwin broke the Penn State bowl records for rushing yards and receiving yards in a bowl game, respectively...Penn State's 465 yards of total offense are fourth in the school's bowl history and the most since the 1996 Outback Bowl (487)...Protected Trace McSorley to the tune of 254 yards, including a Penn State bowl-record-tying four touchdown passes.

**15 GRANT HALEY**

5-9 ► 183 ► Sr./Sr. Eligible

Cornerback ► Atlanta, Ga.

Advertising &amp; Public Relations

## » CAREER NOTES &amp; RECORDS

Became the first player in school history to return a blocked field goal for a touchdown vs. Ohio State (10/22), taking it back 60 yards following a Marcus Allen block...Broke the Penn State season record with 32 kickoff returns in 2014 (Chaz Powell, 27; 2011), a mark since topped by Miles Sanders (33; 2016)...His 659 kickoff return yards in 2014 rank third on the school season list behind Powell (733 yards; 2011) and Sanders (688; 2016)...His first career interception was returned for a touchdown against Temple and was the first

defensive touchdown scored by a Penn State true freshman since Paul Posluszny returned an interception against Indiana on the same date (Nov. 15) in 2003.

## » 2016

**Awards:** Named CoSIDA Academic All-District...Earned Co-Big Ten Special Teams Player of the Week (Marcus Allen, PSU) and Rose Bowl Game Big Ten Player of the Week after returning a blocked field goal for the game-winning touchdown vs. No. 2 Ohio State (10/22)...Named Academic All-Big Ten for the second time in his career.

**Season:** Appeared in 12 games with 11 starts.

**Minnesota (10/1):** Totaled a career-high-tying seven stops.

**Maryland (10/8):** Posted two tackles...A part of a defense that allowed a season-low 11 first downs...Helped limit Maryland 14 points - all in the first half - 170 rushing yards and 270 yards of total offense, after the Terps entered averaging 43.2 points, 300.0 rushing and 466.2 yards of total offense per game. **Ohio State (10/22):** Made three assisted tackles...Returned Marcus Allen's blocked field goal for 60 yards and the game-winning score with 4:27 to play in the fourth quarter...The return marks the first field goal return for a touchdown in Penn State history...Helped the defense hold Ohio State scoreless in two quarters for the first time since Michigan State in 2015, which was Ohio State's last loss. **at Purdue (10/29):** Made three tackles...Helped the defense hold Purdue to just 46 yards rushing, the second opponent held under 50 yards rushing in 2016. **Iowa (11/5):** Totaled three tackles...Helped the defense hold Iowa to just 30 yards rushing, which was 137.9 yards below the Hawkeyes' season average (167.9 ypg) entering the game...It was the fewest rushing yards allowed by Penn State since holding Massachusetts to three yards in 2014...It marked the first time Penn State had held two consecutive opponents to 46 yards rushing or fewer since 2007 (Notre Dame, zero yards; FIU, minus-3 yards)...It was the first time since Penn State joined the Big Ten that it held consecutive conference opponents to 50 yards or less of rushing.

**at Indiana (11/12):** Made three solo stops...Broke up a career-high-tying two passes. **at Rutgers (11/19):** Made a pair of stops, including a solo tackle for loss in the third quarter...Aided the Nittany Lions in compiling nine tackles for loss, the eighth time in 2016 they recorded at least 9.0 stops behind the line of scrimmage. **Michigan State (11/26):** Logged four tackles...Combined with Evan Schwan on a fourth-quarter tackle for loss. **vs. Wisconsin (12/3):** Made five tackles - four solo...Had three tackles on Wisconsin's final drive...Made the final Penn State stop of the game on fourth-and-1 from the Penn State 24, holding first-team All-Big Ten running back Corey Clement to no gain. **vs. USC (1/2):** Equalized his career high with seven tackles - five solo - and two pass breakups...Made two stops on punt coverage.

## » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

**Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)**

KENT STATE 0-0-0; at Pitt 0-0-0; TEMPLE DNP; at Michigan DNP; MINNESOTA 2-5-7; MARYLAND 1-1-2; OHIO STATE 0-3-3; at Purdue 2-1-3; IOWA 2-1-3; at Indiana 3-0-3; at Rutgers 2-0-2; MICHIGAN STATE 2-2-4; vs. Wisconsin 4-1-5; vs. USC 5-2-7.

## » HALEY'S CAREER STATISTICS &amp; GAME HIGHS

	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	I	PBU	SACK	TFL
2014	12-6	18	-	-	1	2	-	-
2015	27-15	42	1	-	2	7	-	2.0-10
2016	23-16	39	-	-	4	-	-	1.5-4
CAREER	62-37	99	1	-	3	13	-	3.5-14

Tackles ..... 7; Three Times: Last vs. USC, 1/2/17

Tackles for Loss ..... 1.0; Twice: Last at Rutgers, 11/19/16

Forced Fumbles ..... 1; at Northwestern, 11/7/15

Interceptions ..... 1; Three Times: Last vs. Maryland, 10/24/15

Long Interception Return ..... 30 yards; Temple, 11/15/14

Pass Breakups ..... 2; Three Times: Last vs. USC, 1/2/17

**Note:** Has two career touchdowns - returned a blocked kick 60 yards for a touchdown vs. Ohio State in 2016 and returned an interception 30 yards for a score against Temple in 2014.

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## PLAYER BIOS



**5** **DAESEAN HAMILTON**  
6-1 ► 208 ► Gr./Sr. Eligible  
Wide Receiver ► Fredericksburg, Va.  
Telecommunications

### » CAREER NOTES & RECORDS

**Career:** Caught at least one pass in 34-straight games to begin his career, a streak that was snapped vs. Iowa (11/5)...Has at least one catch in 38 of 40 career games...Ranks tied for No. 4 on Penn State's all-time receptions list with 161 catches...Ranks 10th on Penn State's all-time receiving yardage list (1,985)...Has 16 career games with five-plus receptions...Is one of just 14 Nittany Lions with 100-plus career receptions, joining former teammate Chris Godwin and current assistant coach Terry Smith (108, 1989-91)...Hamilton and Godwin were just the second set of teammates with 100-plus career receptions, joining Derrick Williams, Jordan Norwood and Deon Butler (2005-08).

**Season:** His 82 catches in 2014 rank second on Penn State's single-season charts...Broke the Penn State freshman season records for receptions and receiving yards in 2014...His 82 receptions rank second in a season in school history, trailing only Allen Robinson (97 in 2013)...In just the sixth game of the season, broke the Penn State freshman record for receptions in a season with his second of seven catches at Michigan, passing Butler's mark of 37 from the 2005 season...Set the program freshman record for receiving yards in a season against Maryland, passing Butler's mark of 691 yards in 2005...One of just six Penn State freshmen to record a 100-yard receiving game and his four 100-yard efforts are the most by a Penn State freshman, surpassing Butler's two from 2005.

**Game:** Broke the Penn State freshman records for receptions (14) and receiving yards (165) in a game in 2014...Broke the Penn State game reception record with 14 catches against No. 13 Ohio State.



Wide receiver DaSean Hamilton returns for his senior season. He ranks tied for No. 4 on Penn State's all-time receptions list with 161 catches and No. 10 in career receiving yardage with 1,985 yards.

### » 2016

**Awards:** Named Academic All-Big Ten for the third time in his career.

**Season:** Appeared in all 14 games with 13 starts.

**Kent State (9/3):** Had two catches for nine yards and one touchdown. **at Pitt (9/10):** Hauled in a game-high eight receptions for 82 yards...Caught the 2-point conversion pass from Trace McSorley that pulled Penn State within three points with 5:00 to play in the game...Had one tackle. **Temple (9/17):** Collected two catches for 50 yards...Closed the third quarter with a 45-yard catch-and-run to set up a 30-yard Tyler Davis field goal...Recovered a Temple onside kick attempt late in the fourth quarter. **at Michigan (9/24):** Made one catch for 11 yards...Gained 11 yards and a first down on Penn State's touchdown drive in the fourth quarter. **Minnesota (10/1):** Pulled down three passes for 17 yards. **Maryland (10/8):** Made two grabs for 35 yards. **Ohio State (10/22):** Had one catch for 34 yards on Penn State's first scoring drive. **at Purdue (10/29):** Made one catch for 14 yards. **at Indiana (11/12):** Caught three passes for 85 yards...Hauled in a career-long 54-yard catch to set up the first rushing touchdown of the game for Saquon Barkley. **at Rutgers (11/19):** Caught two passes for 35 yards. **Michigan State (11/26):** Got Penn State's second scoring drive started with a leaping grab for 16 yards on the sideline for his only catch of the game. **vs. Wisconsin (12/3):** Pulled down a game-high eight catches, which ranks second in Big Ten Championship game history (9 - Keshawn Martin, MSU)...Totalled 118 yards receiving on the night for his fifth career 100-yard game...Caught all eight targets, with five of his catches going for first downs...Had receptions of 38 and 25 yards on Penn State's go-ahead scoring drive in the fourth quarter.

### » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

#### Rushing (Carries-Yards-TD)

KENT STATE 0-0-0; at Pitt 0-0-0; TEMPLE 1-(12)-0; at Michigan 0-0-0; MINNESOTA 0-0-0; MARYLAND 0-0-0; OHIO STATE 0-0-0; at Purdue 0-0-0; IOWA 0-0-0; at Indiana 0-0-0; at Rutgers 0-0-0; MICHIGAN STATE 0-0-0; vs. Wisconsin 0-0-0; vs. USC 0-0-0.

#### Receiving (Receptions-Yards-TD)

KENT STATE 2-9-1; at Pitt 8-82-0; TEMPLE 2-50-0; at Michigan 1-11-0; MINNESOTA 3-17-0; MARYLAND 2-35-0; OHIO STATE 1-34-0; at Purdue 1-14-0; IOWA 0-0-0; at Indiana 3-85-0; at Rutgers 2-35-0; MICHIGAN STATE 1-16-0; vs. Wisconsin 8-118-0; vs. USC 0-0-0.

### » HAMILTON'S CAREER OFFENSIVE STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	Att.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG	Rec.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG
2014	8-32	4.0	-	11	82-899	11.0	2	51
2015	-	-	-	-	45-580	12.9	6	48
2016	1-(12)	(-12.0)	-	-	34-506	14.9	1	54
<b>CAREER</b>	<b>9-20</b>	<b>2.2</b>	-	<b>11</b>	<b>161-1,985</b>	<b>12.3</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>54</b>

**Receptions** ..... 14; Ohio State, 10/25/14

**Receiving Yards** ..... 165; vs. UCF, 8/30/14

**Receiving Touchdowns** ..... 1; Nine Times: Last Kent State, 9/3/16

**Longest Reception** ..... 54 yards; at Indiana, 11/12/16

**All-Purpose Yards** ..... 165; vs. UCF, 8/30/14

*Note: Has two career tackles.*



**8b** **CODY HODGENS**  
5-7 ► 164 ► Gr./Sr. Eligible  
Wide Receiver ► Wesley Chapel, Fla.  
Educational Leadership (master's)

### » 2016

**Season:** Appeared in one game...Made his Penn State debut vs. Michigan State (11/26).



**18** **JONATHAN HOLLAND**  
6-4 ► 247 ► Jr./So. Eligible  
Tight End/H-Back ► Brandywine, Md.  
DUS

### » 2016

**Season:** Appeared in 12 games, primarily on special teams...One of 27 freshmen (22 redshirt, 5 true) to appear in 2016.

**Kent State (9/3):** Made his collegiate debut.



**qb** **IMMANUEL IYKE**  
6-2 ► 273 ► Jr./So. Eligible  
Defensive Tackle ► Hackettstown, N.J.  
Communications

### » 2016

**Season:** Appeared in one game...Made his collegiate debut vs. Michigan State (11/26)...One of 27 freshmen (22 redshirt, 5 true) to appear in 2016...A former United States Marine, Iyke led the team onto the field carrying the American flag on Nov. 5 vs. Iowa during Penn State's Military Appreciation Game.



**7b** **STERLING JENKINS**  
6-8 ► 337 ► Jr./So. Eligible  
Offensive Line ► Pittsburgh, Pa.  
Philosophy

### » 2016

**Season:** Appeared in 11 games...One of 27 freshmen (22 redshirt, 5 true) to appear in 2016.

**Kent State (9/3):** Made his collegiate debut.



Former Marine Immanuel Iyke led the Nittany Lions onto the field during the team's Military Appreciation game against Iowa.



**3b** **JAN  
JOHNSON**

6-2 ► 233 ► Jr./So. Eligible

Linebacker ► Mohnton, Pa.

Psychology

» 2016

**Season:** Appeared in one game...One of 27 freshmen (22 redshirt, 5 true) to appear in 2016...Was one of three Penn State linebackers to suffer a season-ending injury.

**at Michigan (9/24):** Made his collegiate debut in the second quarter...Totaled his first two career tackles...Left the game in the second quarter with a season-ending injury.

» 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

KENT STATE DNP; at Pitt DNP; TEMPLE DNP; at Michigan 1-1-2; MINNESOTA INJ; MARYLAND INJ; OHIO STATE INJ; IOWA INJ; at Indiana INJ; at Rutgers INJ; MICHIGAN STATE INJ; vs. Wisconsin INJ; vs. USC INJ.

» JOHNSON'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	I	PBU	SACK	TFL
2016	1-1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
CAREER	1-1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-

Tackles ..... 2; at Michigan, 9/24/16



**84 JUWAN  
JOHNSON**

6-4 ► 225 ► Jr./So. Eligible

Wide Receiver ► Glassboro, N.J.

DUS

» 2016

**Awards:** Named Academic All-Big Ten.

**Season:** Appeared in all 14 games, primarily on special teams...One of 18 first-time starters in 2016...Made his first career start at Purdue (10/29)...One of 27 freshmen (22 redshirt, 5 true) to appear in 2016...Ranked No. 2 on the team with nine special teams tackles (8 kickoff, 1 punt).

**Kent State (9/3):** Made his collegiate debut. **at Pitt (9/10):** Collected his first collegiate reception, a 27-yard grab from Trace McSorley on Penn State's final scoring drive of the game. **Minnesota (10/1):** Made one special teams tackle. **Maryland (10/8):** Had one special teams tackle. **at Purdue (10/29):** Made two special teams tackles. **at Indiana (11/12):** Had one stop on kickoff return. **at Rutgers (11/19):** Blocked a third-quarter punt that set up Penn State's first touchdown of the game...Made one tackle on special teams...Returned one punt for 20 yards. **Michigan State (11/26):** Lone reception came in the fourth quarter, going to 43 yards. **vs. Wisconsin (12/3):** Made one solo stop on kickoff coverage. **vs. USC (1/2):** Made two special teams tackles, both coming on special teams.

» 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

Receiving (Receptions-Yards-TD)

KENT STATE 0-0-0; at Pitt 1-27-0; TEMPLE 0-0-0; at Michigan 0-0-0; MINNESOTA 0-0-0; MARYLAND 0-0-0; OHIO STATE 0-0-0; at Purdue 0-0-0; IOWA 0-0-0; at Indiana 0-0-0; at Rutgers 0-0-0; MICHIGAN STATE 1-43-0; vs. Wisconsin 0-0-0; vs. USC 0-0-0.

» JOHNSON'S CAREER OFFENSIVE STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	Att.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG	Rec.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG
2016	-	-	-	-	2-70	35.0	-	43
CAREER	-	-	-	-	<b>2-70</b>	<b>35.0</b>	-	<b>43</b>

Receptions ..... 1; Twice: Last Michigan State, 11/26/16

Receiving Yards ..... 43; Michigan State, 11/26/16

Longest Reception ..... 43 yards; Michigan State, 11/26/16

*Note: Has nine career special teams tackles; Has one career blocked punt (at Rutgers, 11/19/16).*



**99 JOE  
JULIUS**

5-10 ► 258 ► Sr./Jr. Eligible

Kicker ► Hummelstown, Pa.

Telecommunications

» 2016

**Season:** Appeared in 13 games...Handled all kickoffs in the first 13 games of the season.

**Kent State (9/3):** Averaged 64.7 yards on seven kickoffs...Six of seven kickoffs were touchbacks...Made one tackle. **at Pitt (9/10):** Booted seven kickoffs for 424 yards...Averaged 60.6 yards per kickoff with four touchbacks. **Temple (9/17):** Had seven kickoffs with six touchbacks...Averaged 64.4 yards per kickoff. **at Michigan (9/24):** Averaged 53.0 yards on three kickoffs...Made one tackle. **Minnesota (10/1):** Hit six kickoffs for a 62.0 average...Had three touchbacks. **Maryland (10/8):** Logged two touchbacks on six kickoffs...Averaged 61.1 yards per kickoff. **Ohio State (10/22):** Averaged 59.3 yards on six kickoffs...Had one touchback...Made one tackle. **at Purdue (10/29):** Booted 11 kickoffs for 705 yards, an average of 64.1 yards per kickoff...Logged five touchbacks. **Iowa (11/5):** Averaged 64.3 yards per kickoff on seven kicks...Notched three touchbacks. **at Indiana (11/12):** Hit eight kickoffs for an average of 61.4 yards per kick...Had three touchbacks. **at Rutgers (11/19):** Booted nine kickoffs for an average of 58.1 yards per kick...Had four touchbacks. **Michigan State (11/26):** Averaged 64.1 yards on eight kickoffs...Had four touchbacks. **vs. Wisconsin (12/3):** Hit seven kickoffs for an average of 64.3 yards...Had four touchbacks.

» JULIUS' CAREER SCORING STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	FGM-A	%	0-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	LG	XP	PTS
2015	10-12	83.3	-	5-5	3-3	2-4	40	20-24	50
2016	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CAREER	<b>10-12</b>	<b>83.3</b>	-	<b>5-5</b>	<b>3-3</b>	<b>2-4</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>20-24</b>	<b>50</b>

Points Scored ..... 13; vs. San Diego State, 9/26/15

PATs Made ..... 4; Three Times: Last: vs. Maryland, 10/24/15

Field Goals Made ..... 3; vs. San Diego State, 9/26/15

Field Goals Attempted ..... 3; Twice: Last vs. San Diego State, 9/26/15

Longest Field Goal ..... 40 yards; Twice: Last vs. Maryland, 10/24/15

Tackles ..... 1; Five Times: Last Ohio State, 10/22/16

» JULIUS' CAREER KICKOFF STATISTICS

	No.	Yds	Avg.	TB	OB
2015	53	3,284	62.0	22	4
2016	93	5,775	62.1	45	4
CAREER	<b>146</b>	<b>9,059</b>	<b>62.0</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>8</b>



**70 BRENDAN  
MAHON**

6-4 ► 310 ► Sr./Jr. Eligible

Offensive Line ► Randolph, N.J.

Landscape Contracting

» 2016

**Awards:** Selected *Pro Football Focus* All-Big Ten first team...Named to the *Pro Football Focus* National Team of the Week following his performance vs. Minnesota (10/1)...Named to the *Pro Football Focus* Big Ten Team of the Week after his showing vs. Maryland (10/8)...Named to the *Pro Football Focus* National Team of the Week following his performance vs. No. 2 Ohio State (10/22).

**Season:** Started nine games.

**Kent State (9/3):** Helped pave the way for Saquon Barkley's 105-yard rushing effort and protected Trace McSorley, who posted his first career 200-yard passing game. **at Pitt (9/10):** Part of an offensive line that cleared the way for Saquon Barkley's four rushing touchdowns...Blocked for Trace McSorley's 332 passing yards, which ranks tied for No. 16 in Penn State single-game history. **Temple (9/17):** Part of a line that didn't allow a sack...Paved the way for three rushing touchdowns...Protected Trace McSorley in his third career 200-yard passing effort. **at Michigan (9/24):** Helped Saquon Barkley move into the top-30 on the career rushing list...Protected Trace McSorley, who threw a touchdown pass in his fifth straight game. **Minnesota (10/1):** Helped Penn State to 471 yards of total offense, the most since racking up an identical total vs. Rutgers in 2015...Protected Trace McSorley to the tune of 408 yards of total offense (335 passing, 73 rushing), the third highest total in school history...Opened up the left side on Saquon Barkley's game-winning 25-yard touchdown run in overtime. **Maryland (10/8):** Started at left tackle before moving to right tackle following Andrew Nelson's second quarter injury...Paved the way for 372 total rushing yards, the third-highest total for a Penn State team in Big Ten play and fourth-most in a game and fourth-most in any game for Penn State in the last 20 years...Guided the offense to 524 total yards, the most since 2014 vs. UCF (511) and the most in Big Ten play since 2012 vs. Indiana (546). **Ohio State (10/22):** Cleared the way for Saquon Barkley's 99 rushing yards. **at Purdue (10/29):** Helped Penn State gain more than 500 total yards, ending the game with 511...Blocked for Saquon Barkley's 207 rushing yards and Trace McSorley's 228 yards passing...Helped Penn State score eight offensive touchdowns in the game...Integral part of Penn State scoring 62 points, its most points since scoring 66 vs. Coastal Carolina in 2006 and the most in a Big Ten game since tallying 63 vs. Illinois in 2005. **Iowa (11/5):** Made the start, but left the game after the third play and did not return.

## PLAYER BIOS



### CONNOR McGOVERN

6-5 ► 312 ► So./So. Eligible

Offensive Line ► Larksville, Pa.

Agriculture

#### » 2016

**Awards:** Named *BTN.com* All-Big Ten Freshman Team honorable mention...Named Big Ten Freshman of the Week following his efforts in helping Penn State pile up 599 yards of total offense vs. Iowa (11/5)...Is only the third offensive lineman in Big Ten history to claim a weekly award and first since 2004...Is the first offensive lineman to earn BIG FOTW.

**Season:** Appeared in 13 games with nine starts...Made his first collegiate start vs. Minnesota (10/1)...One of 18 first-time starters in 2016...One of 27 freshmen (22 redshirt, 5 true) to appear in 2016.

**Kent State (9/3):** Made his collegiate debut. **Temple (9/17):** Part of a line that didn't allow a sack...Paved the way for three rushing touchdowns...Protected Trace McSorley in his third career 200-yard passing effort. **at Michigan (9/24):** Helped Saquon Barkley move into the top-30 on the career rushing list...Protected Trace McSorley, who threw a touchdown pass in his fifth straight game. **Minnesota (10/1):** Helped Penn State to 471 yards of total offense, the most since racking up an identical total vs. Rutgers in 2015...Protected Trace McSorley to the tune of 408 yards of total offense (335 passing, 73 rushing), the third-highest total in school history...Opened up the left side on Saquon Barkley's game-winning 25-yard touchdown run in overtime. **Maryland (10/8):** Paved the way for 372 total rushing yards, the third-highest total for a Penn State team in Big Ten play and fourth-most in a game and fourth-most in any game for Penn State in the last 20 years...Guided the offense to 524 total yards, the most since 2014 vs. UCF (511) and the most in Big Ten play since 2012 vs. Indiana (546). **Ohio State (10/22):** Cleared the way for Saquon Barkley's 99 rushing yards. **at Purdue (10/29):** Helped Penn State gain more than 500 total yards, ending the game with 511...Blocked for Saquon Barkley's 207 rushing yards and Trace McSorley's 228 yards passing...Helped Penn State score eight offensive touchdowns in the game...Integral part of Penn State scoring 62 points, its most points since scoring 66 vs. Coastal Carolina in 2006 and the most in a Big Ten game since tallying 63 vs. Illinois in 2005. **Iowa (11/5):** Blocked for a 167-yard rushing effort by Saquon Barkley and a 240-yard passing night for Trace McSorley...Helped Penn State to 599 yards of total offense, the most since recording 661 yards at Rutgers (1995) and the highest total offense output by Penn State against a Big Ten team since 653 yards against Michigan State (1994)...Overall, Penn State rushed for 359 yards...His efforts enabled the Nittany Lions to go 7-0-1 on third down and the offense did not have a single three-and-out in the game. **at Indiana (11/12):** Helped protect Trace McSorley during his 332-yard passing game, the third of his career - all coming in 2016. **Michigan State (11/26):** Instrumental in Penn State gaining 463 yards of total offense, its ninth game with at least 400 yards...Helped Trace McSorley pile up 389 yards of total offense, the fifth-most in program history...McSorley threw for 376 yards - the sixth-highest total in school history - with four touchdown passes and rushed for 13 yards. **vs. Wisconsin (12/3):** Helped Penn State score 38 points, the most scored by a Wisconsin opponent since 2014 (Ohio State, 59)...Protected quarterback Trace McSorley, who threw for 384 yards, which ranks No. 4 in Penn State history and broke the Big Ten Championship game passing record...Also gave McSorley time to connect on a Big Ten Championship game-record four passing touchdowns...Paved the way for Saquon Barkley's 83 yards rushing, which enabled him to break Evan Royster's Penn State sophomore rushing record. **vs. USC (1/2):** Helped Penn State become the first team in Rose Bowl history with a 175-yard rusher and receiver in a game (Chris Godwin, 187 receiving yards and Saquon Barkley, 194 rushing yards)...Barkley and Godwin broke the Penn State bowl records for rushing yards and receiving yards in a bowl game, respectively...Penn State's 465 yards of total offense are fourth in the school's bowl history and the most since the 1996 Outback Bowl (487)...Protected Trace McSorley to the tune of 254 yards, including a Penn State bowl-record-tying four touchdown passes.



### 39 JOSH McPHEARSON

5-10 ► 194 ► Sr.^/Sr. Eligible

Running Back ► Columbia, Md.

Telecommunications

#### » 2016

**Awards:** Named the Scout Team Special Teams Player of the Year at the annual Nittany Lion Football Banquet.

**Season:** Appeared six games...Made his Penn State debut against Maryland (10/8).

**Maryland (10/8):** Made his first tackle on kickoff coverage in the fourth quarter.

#### » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

##### Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

KENT STATE DNP; at Pitt DNP; TEMPLE DNP; at Michigan DNP; MINNESOTA DNP; MARYLAND 0-1-1; OHIO STATE DNP; at Purdue 0-0-0; IOWA 0-0-0; at Indiana DNP; at Rutgers 0-0-0; MICHIGAN STATE 0-0-0; vs. Wisconsin DNP; vs. USC 0-0-0.

##### » MCPHEARSON'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	I	PBU	SACK	TFL
2016	0-1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
CAREER	0-1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-

Tackles ..... 1; Maryland, 10/8/16



### TRACE MCSORLEY

6-0 ► 204 ► Sr./Jr. Eligible

Quarterback ► Ashburn, Va.

Accounting

#### » CAREER NOTES & RECORDS

**Career:** One of five quarterbacks in Penn State history with multiple 300-yard passing games in a career, joining Christian Hackenberg (9), Matt McGloin (6), Kerry Collins (4) and Darryl Clark (3)...His five 300-yard passing games rank No. 3 on the Penn State career charts...Owns 11 200-yard passing games to rank tied for No. 6 on the career ledger...Has thrown at least one touchdown pass in 15-straight games, breaking Kerry Collins' the school record streak of 14 from 1993-94...Became the first Penn State quarterback with three consecutive games with both a rushing touchdown and passing touchdown since Matt McGloin in 2012 (vs. Temple, at Illinois, vs. Northwestern).

**Season:** Owns the Penn State record for 300-yard passing games in a single-season record with five in 2016...Tied the Penn State record for 200-yard passing games in a season with 11 in 2016 to equal the mark set by Matt McGloin in 2012...Became just the fourth Penn State quarterback to lead his team to 10 wins (11-3) in his first year as the starting quarterback, joining Darryl Clark in 2008 (11-2), Tom Shuman in 1973 (12-0) and Chuck Burkhardt in 1968 (11-0)...Owns the Penn State's single-season passing yards (3,614), passing touchdowns (29) and total offense records (3,979)...Ranked No. 6 on the completions charts (224) and No. 5 on the Penn State single-season pass attempts (387)...Is No. 2 in Penn State single-season pass efficiency rating at 156.9 (Kerry Collins, 172.86; 1994)...His 3.4 yards per pass attempt are No. 3 in a single-season at Penn State.

**Game:** Became just the third Penn State quarterback to register more than 400 yards of total offense in a game, logging 408 total offense yards (335 passing, 73 rushing) vs. Minnesota (10/1)...Set Big Ten Championship game records for passing yards (384) and passing touchdowns (4)...Broke the sophomore season passing

record previously held by Christian Hackenberg (2,977; 2014) with 3,614 passing yards...With 396 passing yards in two bowl games, McSorley ranks No. 6 on the Penn State bowl career charts...The six career touchdown passes in bowl games rank No. 2 on the Penn State career bowl list, trailing only Tony Sacca's seven career scoring passes in three bowl games.

#### » 2016

**Awards:** Named to the *ESPN.com* Big Ten All-Bowl Team...Earned Grange-Griffin Most Valuable Player award as MVP of the Big Ten Championship game...Named to *Phil Steele's* and the *Athlon Sports* All-Big Ten second team...Earned Big Ten Breakout Player distinction from *Athlon Sports*...Named honorable mention *Campus Insiders* Sophomore All-America...Selected All-Big Ten second team by the conference coaches & media panel...First Penn State quarterback to earn All-Big Ten first or second team honors since Darryl Clark (first team) in 2009...Named *Pro Football Focus* All-Big Ten second team...Earned All-ECAC honorable mention honors...Named to the *Pro Football Focus* Big Ten Team of the Week after his showing vs. Maryland (10/8)...Named to the *Pro Football Focus* Big Ten Team of the Week after his showing at Rutgers (11/19)...Following his effort vs. Michigan State (11/26), was named the Big Ten Offensive Player of the Week, the Rose Bowl Game Big Ten Player of the Week, earned a Helmet Sticker from *ESPN's* College Football Final and was one of eight quarterbacks named to the Manning Award Stars of the Week list...Named Academic All-Big Ten for the second time in his career...Named Most Valuable Offensive Player at the annual Nittany Lion Football Banquet.

**Season:** Started all 14 games...One of 18 first-time starters in 2016...Is the first Penn State quarterback with three-straight games throwing four touchdown passes since Todd Blackledge in 1982 (vs. Temple, Maryland and Rutgers)...Threw TD passes to 10 different receivers, marking the first time since 1971 a Penn State quarterback found 10-plus pass catchers for scores...His seven rushing touchdowns were the most by a Penn State quarterback since Darryl Clark had seven in 2009...His 365 rushing yards in 2016 were the most by a Penn State quarterback since Michael Robinson (806 yards) in 2005.

**Final Rankings:** Led all FBS passers in yards per completion (16.13 ypc)...Paced the Big Ten and was No. 13 in the FBS in passing efficiency (156.9)...No. 1 in the Big Ten and No. 25 nationally in total offense (284.2 ypc)...Atop the Big Ten and No. 18 in the FBS with 29 passing touchdowns...Led the Big Ten and No. 13 in the FBS in total passing yards (3,614)...No. 29 nationally and No. 3 in the Big Ten in passing yards per game (258.1)...No. 6 in the FBS and No. 1 in the Big Ten in yards per pass attempt (9.34 ypa)...Had seven games with a passing and rushing touchdown in 2016, ranked second nationally to Lamar Jackson of Louisville (9).

**Kent State (9/3):** Made his first collegiate start...Recorded his first career 200-yard passing game...Completed 16-of-31 passes for 209 yards and two touchdowns...Ran the ball 14 times for 47 yards, setting career highs in both categories...Connected with DaeSean Hamilton and Mike Gesicki on touchdown passes. **at Pitt (9/10):** Recorded his first career 300-yard passing game with 332 yards - a total that ranks No. 16 on Penn State's single-game passing charts...Became just the 12th quarterback in Penn State history to register a 300-yard passing game and accounted for the 30th 300-yard game in Penn State history...Was 24-of-35 passing...Connected with Saquon Barkley on a 40-yard touchdown pass, his only scoring throw of the game...Had 17 completions of 10-plus yards, including seven of 20-plus yards...Completed passes to eight different pass catchers in the game...Rushed nine times, including a scamper of 17 yards. **Temple (9/17):** Recorded his third 200-yard passing game with 287 yards on 18-of-24 passing...Hooked up on 52-yard scoring strike pass to Chris Godwin in the first quarter...Later completed a 52-yard strike to Mike Gesicki in the third quarter...Netted his first career rushing touchdown with a 2-yard scamper in the second quarter...Had nine rushes for eight yards. **at Michigan (9/24):** Completed 16-of-27 passes for 121 yards and one touchdown...Completed a long pass of 30 yards to Saquon Barkley. **Minnesota (10/1):** Completed 19 passes on a career-high 41 attempts for 335

yards...Passing total marks the second 300-yard passing game of his career and the 335 passing yards are No. 15 in a single-game in Penn State history...Accounted for 408 yards of total offense -- 335 passing and 73 rushing -- to mark the third-highest total in school history, the most since Christian Hackenberg posted a school-record 454 yards against UCF in the 2014 Croke Park Classic vs. UCF...The 80-yard touchdown completion to Irvin Charles is a career long...Led the team with 73 rushing yards on only eight attempts...Was the first Penn State quarterback to lead the team in rushing since Michael Robinson (90 yards, 1 TD) at Michigan State on Nov. 19, 2005. **Maryland (10/8):** Threw for 152 yards and two touchdowns on 10-of-19 passing...Connected with Mike Gesicki on a 5-yard touchdown pass on Penn State first drive of the game and later found DeAndre Thompkins for a 70-yard scoring strike...Rushed 18 times for a career-high 81 yards...His 81 rushing yards are the most by a quarterback since Darryl Clark had 83 against Illinois in 2009. **Ohio State (10/22):** Completed 8-of-23 passes for 154 yards and one touchdown...Rushed a career-high 19 times for 63 yards and one touchdown. **at Purdue (10/29):** Threw three touchdown passes on 12-of-23 passing for 228 yards...Threw scoring strikes of 38, 21 and 1 yards...Ran five times for two yards. **Iowa (11/5):** Completed 11-of-18 passes for 240 yards...Compiled his sixth career 200-yard passing game...Rushed for 40 yards on 14 carries and one rushing touchdown...Logged his fourth career game with a rushing and passing touchdown. **at Indiana (11/12):** Accounted for 345 yards of total offense and three touchdowns in the game...Completed 16-of-30 passes for 332 yards and two touchdowns...Completed eight passes longer than 20 yards in the game...Carried the ball eight times for 13 yards and one score. **at Rutgers (11/19):** Posted his eighth 200-yard passing game of the season with 210 yards through the air on 17-of-33 passing...Connected with Mark Allen on a fourth-quarter touchdown pass of 27 yards...Carried the ball 11 times for 55 yards. **Michigan State (11/29):** Completed 17-of-23 for 376 yards and a career-high four touchdowns...Rushed for 13 yards on 10 carries...The 376 passing yards rank No. 6 on the single-game charts...His 389 yards of total offense rank tied for No. 5 in a single-game at Penn State. **vs. Wisconsin (12/3):** Set a Big Ten Championship game record with career-best 384 passing yards and a career-high tying four touchdown passes...The 384 yards rank No. 4 on Penn State's single-game list...Completed 22-of-31 passes in the game...His 70-yard completion to Saeed Blacknall is the third-longest pass play in Big Ten Championship game history. **vs. USC (1/2):** Completed 18-of-29 passes for 254 yards and four touchdowns...The four touchdown passes tied a career high and equaled the Penn State bowl game record, also accomplished by Tony Sacc (1992 Fiesta), Wally Richardson (1996 Outback) and Christian Hackenberg (2014 Pinstripe)...The 254 yards passing rank No. 3 in Penn State single-game bowl history...Rushed for 13 yards on six carries with one touchdown...Rushed for a 3-yard touchdown in the third quarter...The five touchdowns responsible for (4 passing, 1 rushing) are tied for the most in Rose Bowl history and break the Penn State bowl record.

#### » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

##### Passing (Comp.-Att.-Yds.-TD-INT)

KENT STATE 16-31-209-2-0; at Pitt 24-35-332-1-1; TEMPLE 18-24-287-1-1; at Michigan 16-27-121-1-1; MINNESOTA 19-41-335-1-0; MARYLAND 10-19-152-2-0; OHIO STATE 8-23-154-1-0; at Purdue 12-23-228-3-0; IOWA 11-18-240-2-0; at Indiana 16-30-332-2-2; at Rutgers 17-33-210-1-0; MICHIGAN STATE 17-23-376-4-0; vs. Wisconsin 22-31-384-4-0; vs. USC 18-29-254-4-3.

#### » MCSORLEY'S CAREER PASSING STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

C-A	Yds.	%	TD-INT	YPG	LG
2015	20-40	185	50.0	2-0	26.4
2016	224-387	3,614	57.9	29-8	258.1
<b>CAREER</b>	<b>244-427</b>	<b>3,799</b>	<b>57.1</b>	<b>31-8</b>	<b>180.9</b>

Pass Completions ..... 24; at Pitt, 9/10/16  
 Pass Attempts ..... 41; Minnesota, 10/1/16  
 Passing Yards ..... 384; vs. Wisconsin, 12/3/16  
 Passing Touchdowns ..... 4; Twice; Last vs. Wisconsin, 12/3/16  
 Long Pass ..... 80 yards; Minnesota, 10/1/16



Rising junior quarterback Trace McSorley had a record-setting season for the Nittany Lions, breaking the Penn State record for passing yards (3,614), passing touchdowns (29) and total offense (3,979). He has thrown a touchdown pass in each of his last 15 games to break Kerry Collins' school record.

#### » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

##### Rushing (Carries-Yards-TD)

KENT STATE 14-47-0; at Pitt 9-(17)-0; TEMPLE 9-8-1; at Michigan 9-(6)-0; MINNESOTA 8-73-1; MARYLAND 18-81-1; OHIO STATE 19-63-1; at Purdue 5-2-0; IOWA 14-40-1; at Indiana 8-13-1; at Rutgers 11-55-0; MICHIGAN STATE 10-13-0; vs. Wisconsin 6-(20)-0; vs. USC 6-13-1.

#### » MCSORLEY'S CAREER OFFENSIVE STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

Att.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG	Rec.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG
2015	13-43	3.3	-	14	-	-	-
2016	146-365	2.5	7	26	-	-	-
<b>CAREER</b>	<b>159-408</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>26</b>	-	-	-

Rush Attempts ..... 19; Ohio State, 10/22/16  
 Rush Yards ..... 81; Maryland, 10/8/16  
 Rushing Touchdowns ..... 1; Six Times: Last at Indiana, 11/12/16  
 Long Rush ..... 26 yards; Minnesota, 10/1/16  
 Total Offense Yards ..... 408; Minnesota, 10/1/16  
 All-Purpose Yards ..... 81; Maryland, 10/8/16



**JARIVS MILLER**

6-2 ► 220 ► Jr./So. Eligible

Linebacker ► Suffield, Conn.

DUS

#### » 2016

**Season:** Appeared in all 14 games, primarily on special teams...One of 27 freshmen (22 redshirt, 5 true) to appear in 2016...Moved to linebacker following Minnesota (10/1).

**Kent State (9/3):** Made his collegiate debut. **at Pitt (9/10):** Made his first career stop on kickoff coverage in the fourth quarter.

**Maryland (10/8):** Made one tackle. **at Rutgers (11/19):** Made two tackles - both on kickoff coverage. **vs. USC (1/2):** Made one tackle on kickoff coverage.

#### » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

##### Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

KENT STATE 0-0-0; at Pitt 1-0-1; TEMPLE 0-0-0; at Michigan 0-0-0; MINNESOTA 0-0-0; MARYLAND 0-1-1; OHIO STATE 0-0-0; at Purdue 0-0-0; IOWA 0-0-0; at Indiana 0-0-0; at Rutgers 1-1-2; MICHIGAN STATE 0-0-0; vs. Wisconsin 0-0-0; vs. USC 0-1-1.

#### » MILLER'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

UA-A	TK	FR	FF	I	PBU	SACK	TFL
2016	2-3	5	-	-	-	-	-
<b>CAREER</b>	<b>2-3</b>	<b>5</b>	-	-	-	-	-

Tackles ..... 2; at Rutgers, 11/19/16

## 48 SHAREEF MILLER

6-5 ► 261 ► Jr./So. Eligible

Defensive End ► Philadelphia, Pa.

DUS

#### » 2016

**Awards:** Selected *BTN.com* All-Big Ten Freshman Team honorable mention...Named to the *Pro Football Focus* Big Ten Team of the Week after his showing at Indiana (11/12).

**Season:** Appeared in all 14 games...One of 27 freshmen (22 redshirt, 5 true) to appear in 2016.

**Kent State (9/3):** Made his collegiate debut...Totaled five tackles...Made his first collegiate tackle in the second quarter...Picked up his first career sack in the third quarter with a 10-yard takedown of Justin Agner to force a punt...Sacked Agner later in the third quarter for his second of the game...Penn State's seven sacks were the most since logging seven at Northwestern in 2011. **at Pitt (9/10):** Had one assisted tackle. **Minnesota (10/1):** Made four stops...Had 1.5 tackles for loss, including a solo takedown behind the line of scrimmage in the fourth quarter. **Maryland (10/8):** Made two tackles, including one tackle for loss...Made a solo stop behind the line in the fourth quarter. **Ohio State (10/22):** Made four tackles...Had one tackle for loss, a third quarter stop of Mike Weber behind the line...Helped the defense hold Ohio State scoreless in two quarters for the first time since Michigan State in 2015, which was Ohio State's last loss...Helped the defense to a season-high 11.0 tackles for loss, the most TFLs since posting 11.0 vs. Maryland in 2015...The 11.0 tackles for loss were the most yielded by the Buckeyes since giving up 11.0 vs. Alabama (2015). **at Purdue (10/29):** Made one tackle. **at Indiana (11/12):** Recorded four tackles...Forced the third fumble of the game by Indiana, his first career forced fumble, which was recovered by Malik Golden...Was a part of a defense that forced a season-high five turnovers, the most since forcing five against Maryland in 2015...Penn State's five fumble recoveries were its most since recovering five versus FIU in 2007. **at Rutgers (11/19):** Had a quarterback hurry in the third quarter. **Michigan State (11/26):** Made two tackles. **vs. USC (1/2):** Notched one stop.

#### » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

##### Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

KENT STATE 4-1-5; at Pitt 0-1-1; TEMPLE 0-0-0; at Michigan 0-0-0; MINNESOTA 1-3-4; MARYLAND 2-0-2; OHIO STATE 2-2-4; at Purdue 1-0-1; IOWA 0-0-0 at Indiana 2-1-3; at Rutgers 0-0-0; MICHIGAN STATE 1-1-2; vs. Wisconsin 0-0-0; vs. USC 0-1-1.

## PLAYER BIOS

### » MILLER'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	I	PBU	SACK	TF
2016	13-9	22	1	-	-	2.0-18	5.5-27	
CAREER	13-9	22	1	-	-	2.0-18	5.5-27	
Tackles						5; Kent State, 9/3/16		
Sacks						2.0; Kent State, 9/3/16		
Tackles for Loss						2.0; Kent State, 9/3/16		
Forced Fumbles						1; at Indiana, 11/12/16		



**59 ANDREW NELSON**

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6-6 ► 305 ► Sr.^/Sr. Eligible

Offensive Line ► Hershey, Pa.

Kinesiology

### » 2016

**Season:** Appeared in five games...One of 27 freshmen (22 redshirt, 5 true) to appear in 2016.

**Kent State (9/3):** Made his collegiate debut.

### » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

#### Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

KENT STATE 0-0-0; at Pitt DNP; TEMPLE DNP; at Michigan 0-0-0; MINNESOTA DNP; MARYLAND DNP; OHIO STATE DNP; at Purdue 0-0-0; IOWA DNP; at Indiana DNP; at Rutgers 0-0-0; MICHIGAN STATE 0-0-0; vs. Wisconsin DNP; vs. USC DNP.



**91 RYAN MONK**

6-1 ► 285 ► Jr./So. Eligible

Defensive Tackle ► Dallas, Pa.

Education

### » 2016

**Season:** Appeared in 10 games...Made his collegiate debut vs. Minnesota (10/1)...One of 27 freshmen (22 redshirt, 5 true) to appear in 2016...Led the team with 12 special teams tackles...Had 10 stops on kickoff coverage and two on punt coverage.

**Minnesota (10/1):** Made his collegiate debut...Registered one tackle on special teams. **Maryland (10/8):** Made three special teams tackles. **Ohio State (10/22):** Assisted on tackles on back-to-back kickoffs to end the second quarter and begin the third quarter. **at Purdue (10/29):** Logged his lone stop on punt coverage. **Iowa (11/5):** Both tackles came on kickoff coverage. **Michigan State (11/26):** Made his first career pass breakup. **vs. Wisconsin (12/3):** Tallied a pair of assisted stops on kickoff coverage. **vs. USC (1/2):** Made one stop on punt coverage.

### » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

#### Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

KENT STATE DNP; at Pitt DNP; TEMPLE DNP; at Michigan DNP; MINNESOTA 1-0-1; MARYLAND 1-2-3; OHIO STATE 0-2-2; at Purdue 0-1-1; IOWA 1-1-2; at Indiana 0-0-0; at Rutgers 0-0-0; MICHIGAN STATE 0-0-0; vs. Wisconsin 0-2-2; vs. USC 0-1-1.

### » MONROE'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	I	PBU	SACK	TF
2016	3-9	12	-	-	-	1	-	-
CAREER	3-9	12	-	-	-	1	-	-

Tackles ..... 3; Maryland, 10/8/16  
Pass Breakups ..... 1; Michigan State, 11/26/16

Tackles ..... 4; Michigan State, 11/26/16  
Interceptions ..... 1; Kent State, 9/3/16  
Long Interception Return ..... 30 yards; Kent State, 9/3/16  
Pass Breakups ..... 1; Twice: Last at Indiana, 11/12/16

*Note: Has one career touchdown - a 30-yard interception return vs. Kent State.*



**89 TOM PANCOAST**

6-3 ► 240 ► Sr.^/Sr. Eligible

Tight End/H-Back ► West Chester, Pa.  
Economics

### » 2016

**Season:** Appeared in all 14 games.

**at Indiana (11/12):** Returned one kickoff for 11 yards.

### » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

#### Receiving (Receptions-Yards-TD)

KENT STATE 0-0-0; at Pitt 0-0-0; TEMPLE 0-0-0; at Michigan 0-0-0; MINNESOTA 0-0-0; MARYLAND 0-0-0; OHIO STATE 0-0-0; at Purdue 0-0-0; IOWA 0-0-0; at Indiana 0-0-0; at Rutgers 0-0-0; MICHIGAN STATE 0-0-0; vs. Wisconsin 0-0-0; vs. USC 0-0-0.

*Note: Has one kickoff return in 2016 - an 11-yard return at Indiana.*



**92 DANIEL PASQUARIELLO**

6-1 ► 204 ► Gr./Sr. Eligible

Punter ► Melbourne, Victoria, Australia  
Labor & Employment Relations

### » CAREER NOTES & RECORDS

Ranks 13th on Penn State's career punting list with a 38.7 career yards per punt average.

### » 2016

**Season:** Appeared in one game.

**Maryland (10/8):** Hit two punts for an average of 37.5 yards...Pinned two punts inside the Maryland 20...Both punts came in the second half.

### » PASQUARIELLO'S CAREER PUNTING STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	Punts	Yards	Avg.	I-20	FC	50+	LG	Blk.
2014	47	1,754	37.3	13	11	1	63	-
2015	58	2,314	39.9	12	10	9	60	-
2016	2	75	37.5	2	1	-	38	-
CAREER	107	4,143	38.7	27	22	10	63	-

**Punt Attempts:** 9; Twice: Last at Northwestern, 11/7/15

**Punt Yards:** 374; at Northwestern, 11/7/15

**Longest Punt:** 63 yards; vs. Michigan State, 11/29/14

**Tackles:** 1; Twice: Last at Temple, 9/5/15

### » ORUWARIYE'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	I	PBU	SACK	TF
2015	1-4	5	-	-	-	1	-	-
2016	13-10	23	-	-	1	1	-	-
CAREER	14-14	28	-	-	-	2	-	-



**10** **BRANDON  
POLK**

5-9 ► 180 ► Jr./Jr. Eligible  
Wide Receiver ► Ashburn, Va.  
DUS

» 2016

**Season:** Appeared in three games...Missed the final 11 games of the season due to injury.

**at Pitt (9/10):** Made one catch for four yards. **Temple (9/17):** Had one catch for 14 yards...Returned the opening kickoff for 35 yards, a career long effort.

» 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

*Receiving (Receptions-Yards-TD)*

KENT STATE 0-0-0; at Pitt 1-4-0; Temple 1-14-0; at Michigan INJ; MINNESOTA INJ; MARYLAND INJ; OHIO STATE INJ; at Purdue INJ; IOWA INJ; at Indiana INJ; at Rutgers INJ; MICHIGAN STATE INJ; vs. Wisconsin INJ; vs. USC INJ.

» POLK'S CAREER OFFENSIVE STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	Att.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG	Rec.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG
2015	18-159	8.8	1	33	6-57	9.5	1	39
2016	-	-	-	-	2-18	9.0	-	14
<b>CAREER</b>	<b>18-159</b>	<b>8.8</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>8-75</b>	<b>9.4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>39</b>

Rushing attempts.....3; Three Times: Last vs. Georgia, 1/2/16  
Rushing Yards.....50; at Temple, 9/5/15  
Rushing Touchdowns.....1; Buffalo, 9/12/15  
Longest Rush.....33 yards; at Temple, 9/5/15  
Receptions.....2; Indiana, 10/10/15  
Receiving Yards.....46; Indiana, 10/10/15  
Receiving Touchdowns.....1; Indiana, 10/10/15  
Longest Reception.....39 yards; Indiana, 10/10/15  
All-Purpose Yards.....89; at Ohio State, 10/17/15



Rising junior cornerback John Reid had a team-high nine pass breakups to go along with 36 tackles and one interception.



**29** **JOHN  
REID**

5-10 ► 189 ► Jr./Jr. Eligible  
Cornerback ► Mount Laurel, N.J.  
Engineering

» 2016

**Awards:** Named All-Big Ten honorable mention by the conference coaches and media panel...Named *Campus Insiders* Sophomore All-America honorable mention...Named to the *Pro Football Focus* Big Ten Team of the Week after his showing vs. Maryland (10/8)...Named to the *Pro Football Focus* National Team of the Week following his performance at Purdue (10/29).

**Season:** Started all 14 games.

**Finals Rankings:** No. 39 in the NCAA and No. 3 in the Big Ten in punt return average (7.5 ypr).

**Kent State (9/3):** Totaled four tackles...Combined with Antoine White for his first career sack, a takedown of Mylik Mitchell in the fourth quarter...Returned four punts for 22 yards...Posted a long return of 21 yards in the third quarter...Penn State's seven sacks were the most since logging seven at Northwestern in 2011. **at Pitt (9/10):** Tied his career high with five stops...Recovered his second career fumble in the fourth quarter, helping lead to a Tyler Davis field goal...Returned four punts for 61 yards...Broke a career-long 59 yard return in the first quarter, the longest punt return for the Nittany Lions since Derrick Williams' 63-yard return for a TD at Wisconsin in 2008. **Temple (9/17):** Sealed the game with an interception of Phillip Walker, returning it 14 yards...Logged four tackles...Combined with Parker Cothren on a tackle for loss in the third quarter...Returned five punts for 32 yards, including a 29-yarder in the first quarter. **at Michigan (9/24):** Posted three tackles. **Minnesota (10/1):** Registered one tackle...Added one pass breakup...Returned two punts. **Maryland (10/8):** Tied his career high with five tackles...Had a career-high tying two pass breakups...Logged one tackle for loss on a second quarter stop behind the line of scrimmage on a wide receiver screen in the second quarter...A part of a defense that allowed a season-low 11 first downs...Helped limit Maryland 14 points - all in the first half - 170 rushing yards and 270 yards of total offense, after the Terps entered averaging 43.2 points, 300.0 rushing and 466.2 yards of total offense per game...Returned one punt for eight yards. **Ohio State (10/22):** Made three stops...Added two pass breakups...Returned two punts for four yards with a long of nine yards...Helped the defense hold Ohio State scoreless in two quarters for the first time since Michigan State in 2015, which was Ohio State's last loss. **at Purdue (10/29):** Made one tackle...Had one pass breakup...Helped the defense hold Purdue to just 46 yards rushing, the second opponent held under 50 yards rushing in 2016. **Iowa (11/5):** Made two solo tackles...Helped the defense hold Iowa to just 30 yards rushing, which was 137.9 yards below the Hawkeyes' season average (167.9 ypg) entering the game...It was the fewest rushing yards allowed by Penn State since holding Massachusetts to three yards in 2014...It marked the first time Penn State had held two consecutive opponents to 46 yards rushing or fewer since 2007 (Notre Dame, zero yards; FIU, minus-3 yards)...It was the first time since Penn State joined the Big Ten that it held consecutive conference opponents to 50 yards or less of rushing. **at Indiana (11/12):** Made two tackles...Returned three punts for 32 yards....Had a long return of 19 yards in the first quarter. **at Rutgers (11/19):** Totaled three tackles...Made a career-high two solo tackles for loss - both coming in the third quarter...Helped hold Rutgers to just 87 yards of total offense, the fewest given up by Penn State in its Big Ten history and the fewest since 2006 vs. Temple (74)...The five first downs allowed are the fewest in B1G play in Penn State history and fewest since 2006 vs. Temple (2)...Aided the Nittany Lions in compiling nine tackles for loss, the eighth time in 2016 they recorded at least 9.0 stops behind the line of scrimmage. **Michigan State (11/26):** Had one tackle. **vs. Wisconsin (12/3):** His lone stop

was a tackle for loss in the first quarter...Returned one punt for five yards. **vs. USC (1/2):** Totaled one tackle...Added two pass breakups.

» 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

*Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)*

KENT STATE 2-2-4; at Pitt 3-2-5; TEMPLE 2-2-4; at Michigan 1-2-3; MINNESOTA 1-0-1; MARYLAND 3-2-5; OHIO STATE 1-2-3; at Purdue 1-0-1; IOWA 2-0-2; at Indiana 2-0-2; at Rutgers 3-0-3; MICHIGAN STATE 0-1-1; vs. Wisconsin 1-0-1; vs. USC 1-0-1.

» REID'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	I	PBU	SACK	TFL
2015	18-11	29	1	1	2	5	-	1.0-2
2016	23-13	36	-	1	1	9	0.5-3	5.0-19
<b>CAREER</b>	<b>41-24</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>0.5-3</b>	<b>6.0-21</b>

Tackles ..... 5; Three Times: Last Maryland, 10/8/16

Sacks ..... 0.5; Kent State, 9/3/16

Tackles for Loss ..... 2.0; at Rutgers, 11/19/16

Forced Fumbles ..... 1; vs. Maryland, 10/24/15

Fumble Recoveries ..... 1; Twice: Last at Pitt, 9/10/16

Interceptions ..... 1; Three Times: Last Temple, 9/17/16

Long Interception Return ..... 44 yards; Rutgers, 9/19/15

Pass Breakups ..... 2; Four Times: Last vs. USC, 1/2/17

» 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

*Punt Returns (Returns-Yards-TD-YPR)*

KENT STATE 4-22-0-5.5; at Pitt 4-61-0-15.2; TEMPLE 5-32-0-7.8; at Michigan 0-0-0-0; MINNESOTA 2-2-0-1.0; MARYLAND 1-8-0-8.0; OHIO STATE 2-4-0-2.0; at Purdue 0-0-0-0; IOWA 0-0-0-0; at Indiana 3-32-0-10.3; at Rutgers 0-0-0-0; MICHIGAN STATE 0-0-0-0; vs. Wisconsin 1-5-0-5.0; vs. USC 0-0-0-0.

» REID'S CAREER PUNT RETURN STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG
2015	-	-	-	-	-
2016	22	166	7.5	-	59
<b>CAREER</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>166</b>	<b>7.5</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>59</b>

Punt Returns ..... 5; Temple, 9/17/16

Punt Return Yards ..... 61; at Pitt, 9/10/16

Longest Punt Return ..... 59 yards; at Pitt, 9/10/16

All-Purpose Yards ..... 61; at Pitt, 9/10/16



**22** **ANDRE  
ROBINSON**

5-9 ► 218 ► Jr./So. Eligible

Running Back ► Mechanicsburg, Pa.  
Communications

» 2016

**Season:** Appeared in 12 games...One of 27 freshmen (22 redshirt, 5 true) to appear in 2016.

**Kent State (9/3):** Made his collegiate debut...Rushed one time for a loss of two yards. **at Pitt (9/10):** Had one rush for four yards.

**Temple (9/17):** Rushed a career-high six times for 24 yards...Scored first career touchdown on a 3-yard plunge in the first quarter. **at Michigan (9/24):** Had one carry for three yards. **Minnesota (10/1):** Registered his first career reception for two yards in the second quarter. **at Purdue (10/29):** Registered a career-high two rushing touchdowns...Scored on each of his two carries, totaling 23 yards...Had a career-long 19-yard touchdown run in the fourth quarter. **Iowa (11/5):** Carried three times for 18 yards. **at Indiana (11/12):** Carried the ball twice for eight yards. **at Rutgers (11/19):** Gained 20 yards on six carries, scoring his fourth touchdown of the season on a 2-yard run in the third quarter. **Michigan State (11/26):** Rushed three times for a team- and career-high 32 yards and a score...Caught one pass for a career-high 40 yards and a touchdown...Logged a receiving and rushing touchdown in the game - both coming in the fourth quarter...Scampered for a 14-yard scoring run in the fourth quarter...Caught his lone pass and went



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## PLAYER BIOS

40 yards for his first career touchdown reception. **vs. Wisconsin (12/3):** Carried three times for seven yards. **vs. USC (1/2):** Gained four yards on his lone carry.

### » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

#### Rushing (Carries-Yards-TD)

KENT STATE 1-(2)-0; at Pitt 1-4-0; TEMPLE 6-24-1; at Michigan 1-3-0; MINNESOTA 0-0-0; MARYLAND DNP; OHIO STATE DNP; at Purdue 2-23-2; IOWA 3-18-0; at Indiana 2-8-0; at Rutgers 6-20-1; MICHIGAN STATE 3-32-1; vs. Wisconsin 3-7-0; vs. USC 1-4-0.

#### Receiving (Receptions-Yards-TD)

KENT STATE 0-0-0; at Pitt 0-0-0; TEMPLE 0-0-0; at Michigan 0-0-0; MINNESOTA 1-2-0; MARYLAND DNP; OHIO STATE DNP; at Purdue 0-0-0; IOWA 0-0-0; at Indiana 0-0-0; at Rutgers 0-0-0; MICHIGAN STATE 1-40-1; vs. Wisconsin 0-0-0; vs. USC 0-0-0.

### » ROBINSON'S CAREER OFFENSIVE STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	Att.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG	Rec.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG
2016	29-141	4.9	5	19	2-42	21.0	1	40
CAREER	29-141	4.9	5	19	2-42	21.0	1	40

Rushing attempts	.....	6; Twice: Last at Rutgers, 11/19/16
Rushing Yards	.....	32; Michigan State, 11/26/16
Rushing Touchdowns	.....	2; at Purdue, 10/29/16
Longest Rush	.....	19 yards; at Purdue, 10/29/16
Receptions	.....	1; Twice: Last Michigan State, 11/26/16
Receiving Yards	.....	40; Michigan State, 11/26/16
Receiving Touchdowns	.....	1; Michigan State, 11/26/16
Longest Receptions	.....	40 yards; Michigan State, 11/26/16



## 24 MILES SANDERS

5-11 ► 220 ► So./So. Eligible  
Running Back ► Pittsburgh, Pa.  
DUS

### » CAREER NOTES & RECORDS

Owns the Penn State season record with 33 kickoff returns in 2016, passing teammate Grant Haley's mark of 32 from 2014...His 688 kickoff return yards in 2016 rank No. 2 on the school season list behind Chaz Powell (733 yards; 2011).

### » 2016

**Awards:** Selected *BTN.com* All-Big Ten Freshman Team honorable mention.

**Season:** Appeared in 13 games...One of 27 freshmen (22 redshirt, 5 true) to appear in 2016.

**Final Rankings:** No. 84 in the NCAA and No. 7 in the Big Ten in kickoff return average (20.8 ypr).

**Kent State (9/3):** Made his collegiate debut...Returned two kickoffs for 36 yards...Posted a long kickoff return of 19 yards in the second quarter. **at Pitt (9/10):** Returned two kickoffs for 50 yards...Had a long return of 33 yards. **Temple (9/17):** Carried three times for 27 yards...Made his first career carry early in the second quarter, gaining six yards...Had a long rush of 19 yards in the second quarter...Returned one kickoff for 31 yards. **at Michigan (9/24):** Carried twice for 14 yards...Made his first career reception for three yards on Penn State's fourth quarter touchdown drive...Returned three kickoffs for 67 yards. **Maryland (10/8):** Carried the ball just once in the game, scoring his first career touchdown on a 25-yard burst in the fourth quarter...Returned three kickoffs for 50 yards. **Ohio State (10/22):** Returned four kickoffs for a career-best 89 yards...Had a long return of 27 yards in the third quarter...Rushed once for minus-10 yards. **at Purdue (10/29):** Caught his first career touchdown pass on his lone reception, a 21-yard catch-and-run in the third quarter...Carried the ball three times for six yards...Returned two kickoffs for 24 yards. **Iowa (11/5):** Set a career high with five carries and 34 yards...Returned two kicks for 72 yards, including a career-long

return of 48 yards on the opening kickoff...Totaled 106 all-purpose yards. **at Indiana (11/12):** Returned three kickoffs for 57 yards...Had a long return of 31 yards on the games opening kickoff...Carried the ball once for minus-2 yards. **at Rutgers (11/19):** Totaled 97 all-purpose yards...Rushed for a career-high 85 yards on five attempts...Returned one kickoff for 12 yards. **Michigan State (11/26):** Rushed four times for five yards...Returned three kickoffs for 63 yards. **vs. Wisconsin (12/3):** Returned four kickoffs for 83 yards...Had a long return of 29 yards on the games opening kickoff. **vs. USC (1/2):** Returned three kickoffs for 54 yards...Had a long return of 23 yards in the first quarter.

### » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

#### Rushing (Carries-Yards-TD)

KENT STATE 0-0-0; at Pitt 0-0-0; TEMPLE 3-27-0; at Michigan 2-14-0; MINNESOTA DNP; MARYLAND 1-25-1; OHIO STATE 1-(10)-0; at Purdue 3-6-0; IOWA 5-34-0; at Indiana 1-(2)-0; at Rutgers 5-85-0; MICHIGAN STATE 4-5-0; vs. Wisconsin 0-0-0; vs. USC 0-0-0.

#### Receiving (Receptions-Yards-TD)

KENT STATE 0-0-0; at Pitt 0-0-0; TEMPLE 0-0-0; at Michigan 1-3-0; MINNESOTA DNP; MARYLAND 0-0-0; OHIO STATE 0-0-0; at Purdue 1-21-1; IOWA 0-0-0; at Indiana 0-0-0; at Rutgers 0-0-0; MICHIGAN STATE 0-0-0; vs. Wisconsin 0-0-0; vs. USC 0-0-0.

### » SANDERS' CAREER OFFENSIVE STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	Att.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG	Rec.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG
2016	25-184	7.4	1	57	2-24	12.0	1	21
CAREER	25-184	7.4	1	57	2-24	12.0	1	21

Rushing attempts	.....	5; Twice: Last at Rutgers, 11/19/16
Rushing Yards	.....	85; at Rutgers, 11/19/16
Rushing Touchdowns	.....	1; Maryland, 10/8/16
Longest Rush	.....	57 yards; at Rutgers, 11/19/16
Receptions	.....	1; Twice: Last at Purdue, 10/29/16
Receiving Yards	.....	21; at Purdue, 10/29/16
Receiving Touchdowns	.....	1; at Purdue, 10/29/16
Longest Receptions	.....	21 yards; at Purdue, 10/29/16

### » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

#### Kickoff Returns (Returns-Yards-TD-YPR)

KENT STATE 2-36-0-18.0; 2-50-0-25.0; 1-31-0-31.0; at Michigan 3-67-0-22.3; MARYLAND 3-50-0-16.7; OHIO STATE 4-89-0-22.2; at Purdue 2-24-0-12.0; IOWA 2-72-0-36.0; at Indiana 3-57-0-19.0; at Rutgers 1-12-0-0.0; MICHIGAN STATE 3-63-0-21.0; vs. Wisconsin 4-83-0-20.7; vs. USC 3-54-0-18.0.

### » SANDERS' CAREER KICKOFF RETURN STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG
2016	33	688	20.8	-	48
CAREER	33	688	20.8	-	48

#### Kickoff Returns

..... 4; Three Times: Last vs. Wisconsin, 12/3/16

**Kickoff Return Yards** ..... 89; Ohio State, 10/22/16

**Longest Kickoff Return** ..... 48 yards; Iowa, 11/5/16

**All-Purpose Yards** ..... 106; Iowa, 11/5/16



## 4 NICK SCOTT

5-11 ► 200 ► Sr./Jr. Eligible

Safety ► Fairfax, Va.

Psychology

### » 2016

**Season:** Appeared in 13 games...Wore No. 25 in the regular season final to honor injured senior Von Walker..Ranked No. 3 on the team in special teams tackles (8).

**Kent State (9/3):** Made one tackle...Returned two kickoffs for 52 yards, including a long of 30 in the second quarter. **at Pitt (9/10):** Made one stop, an assisted special team stop with Troy Apke...Returned two kickoffs for 43 yards...Had a long return of 29 yards.

**Temple (9/17):** Returned one kickoff for 17 yards. **Minnesota (10/1):** Returned one kickoff for 26 yards. **Maryland (10/8):** Logged a career-high three stops, all coming on special teams. **Michigan State (11/26):** Lone stop came on kickoff coverage...Added his first career pass breakup in the fourth quarter. **vs. Wisconsin (12/3):** Made an assisted tackle on kickoff return. **vs. USC (1/2):** Logged his lone hit on a kickoff return.

### » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

#### Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

KENT STATE 0-1-1; at Pitt 0-1-1; TEMPLE 0-0-0; at Michigan 0-0-0; MINNESOTA 0-0-0; MARYLAND 1-2-3; OHIO STATE 0-0-0; at Purdue DNP; IOWA 0-0-0; at Indiana 0-0-0; at Rutgers 0-0-0; MICHIGAN STATE 1-0-1; vs. Wisconsin 0-1-1; vs. USC 1-0-1.

### » SCOTT'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	UA-A	TK	FF	FR	I	PBU	SACK	TFL
2015	5-3	8	-	-	-	-	-	-
2016	3-5	8	-	-	-	1	-	-
CAREER	8-8	16	-	-	-	1	-	-

**Tackles** ..... 3; Maryland, 10/8/15

**Pass Breakups** ..... 1; Michigan State, 11/26/16

### » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

#### Kickoff Returns (Returns-Yards-TD-YPR)

KENT STATE 2-52-0-26.0; at Pitt 2-43-0-21.5; TEMPLE 1-17-0-17.0; at Michigan 0-0-0-0; MINNESOTA 1-26-0-26.0; MARYLAND 0-0-0-0; OHIO STATE 0-0-0-0.0; at Purdue DNP; IOWA 0-0-0-0.0; at Indiana 0-0-0-0.0; at Rutgers 0-0-0-0.0; MICHIGAN STATE 0-0-0-0.0; vs. Wisconsin 0-0-0-0.0; vs. USC 0-0-0-0.0.

### » SCOTT'S CAREER KICKOFF RETURN STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG
2015	13	310	23.8	-	58
2016	6	138	23.0	-	30
CAREER	19	448	23.6	-	58

**Kick Returns** ..... 4; vs. Maryland, 10/24/15

**Kick Return Yards** ..... 85; vs. Maryland, 10/24/15

**Long Kick Return** ..... 58 yards; Buffalo, 9/12/15



## 82 TYLER SHOOP

5-11 ► 186 ► Jr./So. Eligible

Wide Receiver ► Nashville, Tenn.

Health & Human Development

### » 2016

**Season:** Appeared in one game...Made his collegiate debut vs. Michigan State (11/26)...One of 27 freshmen (22 redshirt, 5 true) to appear in 2016.

**3b TROY SHORTS**

5-10 ► 194 ► Jr./So. Eligible

Safety ► Sicklerville, N.J.

DUS

## » 2016

**Season:** Appeared in one game...Made his collegiate debut vs. Michigan State (11/26)...One of 27 freshmen (22 redshirt, 5 true) to appear in 2016.

**b4 ZACH SIMPSON**

6-3 ► 298 ► Jr./So. Eligible

Offensive Line ► Hollidaysburg, Pa.

Engineering

## » 2016

**Season:** Appeared in 12 games, primarily on kickoff return...One of 27 freshmen (22 redshirt, 5 true) to appear in 2016.

**Temple (9/17):** Made his collegiate debut on special teams.

**47 BRANDON SMITH**

6-0 ► 232 ► Gr./Sr. Eligible

Linebacker ► Winfield, Pa.

Health Policy &amp; Administration

## » 2016

**Awards:** Named CoSIDA Academic All-District...Was a finalist for the Pop Warner Award...Selected Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week on Oct. 10 after his 14-tackle effort vs. Maryland...Named Academic All-Big Ten.

**Season:** Appeared in all 14 games with two starts...Made his first career start at Michigan (9/24)...One of 18 first-time starters in 2016...Played just three defensive snaps in his career (all in 2016) and just 44 career snaps prior to playing 68 snaps vs. Temple (9/17).

**Temple (9/17):** Made eight tackles - four solo - after entering the game midway through the second quarter...Combined with Torrence Brown for his first career tackle for loss...Logged first career pass breakup...A part of a front seven that limited Temple to just 38 rushing yards, the fewest since holding Illinois to 37 yards on the ground in 2015. **at Michigan (9/24):** Made two tackles...Had a career-high 1.0 tackle for loss, a solo stop behind the line of scrimmage in the first quarter...Missed the final three quarters after being disqualified from the game near the start of the second quarter. **Minnesota (10/1):** Notched seven stops, including a combined tackle for loss with Parker Cothren in the first quarter...Had one pass breakup. **Maryland (10/1):** Earned Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week on Oct. 10 after logging a career-high 14 tackles...Made his first career interception in the first quarter...Combined with Koa Farmer on a third-quarter tackle for loss and Jordan Smith on a fourth-quarter takedown behind the line of scrimmage...A part of a defense that allowed a season-low 11 first downs...Helped limit Maryland 14 points - all in the first half - 170 rushing yards and 270 yards of total offense, after the Terps entered averaging 43.2 points, 300.0 rushing and 466.2 yards of total offense per game. **Ohio State (10/22):** Totaled four tackles...Helped the defense hold Ohio State scoreless in two quarters for the first time since Michigan State in 2015, which was Ohio State's last loss. **at Purdue (10/29):** Pulled in his second career interception, returning it 22 yards to set up Penn State's opening score of the second half...Logged four tackles...Helped Penn

State force four turnovers. **Iowa (11/5):** Ranked second on the team with four tackles...Helped the defense hold Iowa to just 30 yards rushing, which was 137.9 yards below the Hawkeyes' season average (167.9 ypg) entering the game...It was the fewest rushing yards allowed by Penn State since holding Massachusetts to three yards in 2014...It marked the first time Penn State had held two consecutive opponents to 46 yards rushing or fewer since 2007 (Notre Dame, zero yards; FIU, minus-3 yards)...It was the first time since Penn State joined the Big Ten that it held consecutive conference opponents to 50 yards or less of rushing. **at Indiana (11/12):** Notched three tackles...Added a pass breakup on fourth-and-goal at the IU 1-yard line. **at Rutgers (11/19):** Made three stops...Combined with Cam Brown on a fourth-quarter sack of Gio Rescigno...Aided the Nittany Lions in compiling nine tackles for loss, the eighth time in 2016 they recorded at least 9.0 stops behind the line of scrimmage. **Michigan State (11/26):** Made five tackles...Combined with Curtis Cothran for a tackle for loss in the fourth quarter.

## » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

## Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

KENT STATE 0-0-0; at Pitt 0-0-0; TEMPLE 4-4-8; at Michigan 1-1-2; MINNESOTA 2-5-7; MARYLAND 2-12-14; OHIO STATE 1-3-4; at Purdue 3-1-4; IOWA 2-2-4; at Indiana 1-2-3; at Rutgers 2-1-3; MICHIGAN STATE 3-2-5; vs. Wisconsin 0-0-0; vs. USC 0-0-0.

## » SMITH'S CAREER STATISTICS &amp; GAME HIGHS

UA-A	TK	FF	FR	I	PBU	SACK	TFL
DNP							
2014							
2015	0-1	1	-	-	-	-	-
2016	21-33	54	-	2	3	0.5-2	4.0-7
CAREER	21-34	55	-	2	3	0.5-2	4.0-7

Tackles ..... 14; Maryland, 10/8/16

Sacks ..... 0.5; at Rutgers, 11/19/16

Tackles for Loss ..... 1.0; Twice: Last Maryland, 10/8/16

Interceptions ..... 1; Twice: Last at Purdue, 10/29/16

Pass Breakups ..... 1; Three Times: Last at Indiana, 11/12/16

**2 TOMMY STEVENS**

6-4 ► 224 ► Jr./So. Eligible

Quarterback ► Indianapolis, Ind.

Telecommunications

## » 2016

**Season:** Appeared in seven games...One of 27 freshmen (22 redshirt, 5 true) to appear in 2016.

**Kent State (9/3):** Made his collegiate debut. **Maryland (10/1):** Saw snaps at quarterback in the fourth quarter, but did not throw a pass...Carried the ball four times for 36 yards. **at Purdue (10/29):** Attempted his first passes as a collegiate quarterback, completing his first career pass to Irvin Charles for 26 yards...Was 1-of-2 passing...Rushed five times for 31 yards, including an 18-yard rush in the fourth quarter. **Iowa (11/5):** Ran five times for a career-best 70 yards...Lined up at wide receiver and took the handoff on the jet sweep, rumbling 13 yards for his first career touchdown in the fourth quarter...Added a career-long 45-yard rush in the fourth quarter. **at Indiana (11/12):** Had one first-quarter rush for no gain. **at Rutgers (11/19):** Rushed six times for 62 yards...Scampered for a 12-yard touchdown run in the fourth quarter...Had a long rush of 31 yards. **Michigan State (11/26):** Completed his only pass attempt for 10 yards in the fourth quarter.

## » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

## Passing (Comp-Att-Yds-TD-INT)

KENT STATE 0-0-0-0; at Pitt DNP; TEMPLE DNP; at Michigan DNP; MINNESOTA DNP; MARYLAND 0-0-0; OHIO STATE DNP; at Purdue 1-2-26-0-0; IOWA 0-0-0-0; at Indiana 0-0-0-0; at Rutgers 0-0-0-0; MICHIGAN STATE 1-1-10-0-0; vs. Wisconsin DNP; vs. USC DNP.

## » STEVENS' CAREER PASSING STATISTICS &amp; GAME HIGHS

C-A	Yds.	%	TD-INT	YPG	LG
2016	2-3	36	66.7	-	5.1
CAREER	2-3	36	66.7	-	5.1

Pass Completions ..... 1; Twice: Last Michigan State, 11/26/16

Pass Attempts ..... 2; at Purdue, 10/29/16

Passing Yards ..... 26; at Purdue, 10/29/16

Long Pass ..... 26 yards; at Purdue, 10/29/16

## » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

## Rushing (Carries-Yards-TD)

KENT STATE 0-0-0; at Pitt DNP; Temple DNP; at Michigan DNP; MINNESOTA DNP; MARYLAND 4-36-0; OHIO STATE DNP; at Purdue 5-31-0; IOWA 5-70-1; at Indiana 1-0-0; at Rutgers 6-61-1; MICHIGAN STATE 0-0-0; vs. Wisconsin DNP; vs. USC DNP.

## » STEVENS' CAREER OFFENSIVE STATISTICS &amp; GAME HIGHS

Att.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG	Rec.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG
2016	21-198	9.4	2	45	-	-	-
CAREER	21-198	9.4	2	45	-	-	-

Rushing attempts ..... 6; at Rutgers, 11/19/16

Rushing Yards ..... 70; Iowa, 11/5/16

Rushing Touchdowns ..... 1; Twice: Last at Rutgers, 11/19/16

Longest Rush ..... 45 yards; Iowa, 11/5/16

All-Purpose Yards ..... 70; Iowa, 11/5/16

Total Offense ..... 70; Iowa, 11/5/16

**17 GARRETT TAYLOR**

6-0 ► 200 ► Jr./So. Eligible

Safety ► Richmond, Va.

Communications

## » 2016

**Awards:** Named Academic All-Big Ten.

**Season:** Appeared in 12 games...One of 27 freshmen (22 redshirt, 5 true) to appear in 2016.

**Kent State (9/3):** Made his collegiate debut. **Maryland (10/1):** Made his first collegiate tackle in the second quarter on kickoff coverage. **Ohio State (10/22):** Made a solo stop on punt return in the second quarter to pin Ohio State at its own 11-yard line to start the drive. **at Rutgers (11/19):** Recovered Juwan Johnson's blocked punt in the third quarter at the Rutgers 10-yard line, which led to Penn State's first touchdown of the game.

## » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

## Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)

KENT STATE 0-0-0; at Pitt 0-0-0; TEMPLE 0-0-0; at Michigan 0-0-0; MINNESOTA 0-0-0; MARYLAND 0-1-1; OHIO STATE 1-0-1; at Purdue 0-0-0; IOWA DNP; at Indiana DNP; at Rutgers 0-0-0; MICHIGAN STATE 0-0-0; vs. Wisconsin 0-0-0; vs. USC 0-0-0.

## » TAYLOR'S CAREER STATISTICS &amp; GAME HIGHS

UA-A	TK	FF	FR	I	PBU	SACK	TFL
2016	1-1	2	-	-	-	1	-
CAREER	1-1	2	-	-	-	1	-

Tackles ..... 1; Twice: Last Ohio State, 10/22/16

Pass Breakups ..... 1; at Rutgers, 11/19/16

## PLAYER BIOS



### 20 JOHNATHAN THOMAS

5-11 ► 218 ► Sr./Jr. Eligible  
Running Back ► Peabody, Mass.  
Sociology

#### » 2016

**Season:** Appeared in five games.

#### » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

**Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)**

KENT STATE 0-0-0; at Pitt DNP; TEMPLE 0-0-0; at Michigan DNP; MINNESOTA 0-0-0; MARYLAND DNP; OHIO STATE DNP; at Purdue DNP; IOWA DNP; at Indiana DNP; at Rutgers 0-0-0; MICHIGAN STATE DNP; vs. Wisconsin DNP; vs. USC 0-0-0.



### 3 DeANDRE THOMPKINS

5-11 ► 193 ► Sr./Jr. Eligible  
Wide Receiver ► Hubert, N.C.  
Psychology

#### » 2016

**Season:** Appeared in 13 games with seven starts...Made his first career start at Pitt...One of 18 first-time starters in 2016.

**Final Rankings:** No. 70 nationally and No. 4 in the Big Ten in yards per reception (16.30 ypr).

**Kent State (9/3):** Made one catch for 43 yards. **at Pitt (9/10):** Made his first collegiate start...Made three receptions for 87 receiving yards...On Penn State's third scoring drive, made a 14-yard grab on third-and-8 and a 39-yard catch to set up first-and-goal from the Pitt 2-yard line...Had a 34-yard catch and run on fourth-and-16 in the fourth quarter. **Temple (9/17):** Made three grabs for 36 yards. **at Michigan (9/24):** Made three catches...Netted minus-1 yards...Had two tackles. **Minnesota (10/1):** Made a career-high four catches...Totalled 72 yards on the day...Made a then-career-long 53 yard reception in the first quarter. **Maryland (10/1):** Led all players with a career-high 91 receiving yards on four receptions...Hauled in a career-long 70-yard catch for his first career touchdown catch to end the third quarter. **Iowa (11/5):** Had one catch for 25 yards...Returned one punt for two yards...Returned his first career kickoff for five yards. **at Rutgers (11/19):** Tied his career high with four catches...Totalled 40 yards receiving. **Michigan State (11/26):** Caught two passes for 38 yards. **vs. USC (1/2):** Made two grabs for nine yards.

#### » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

**Receiving (Receptions-Yards-TD)**

KENT STATE 1-43-0; at Pitt 3-87-0; TEMPLE 3-36-0; at Michigan 3-(1)-0; MINNESOTA 4-72-0; MARYLAND 4-91-1; OHIO STATE 0-0-0; at Purdue DNP; IOWA 1-25-0; at Indiana 0-0-0; at Rutgers 4-40-0; MICHIGAN STATE 2-38-0; vs. Wisconsin 0-0-0; vs. USC 2-9-0.

**» THOMPKINS' CAREER OFFENSIVE STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS**

Att.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG	Rec.-Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG	
2015	5-12	2.4	1	6	3-33	11.0	-	31
2016	-	-	-	27-440	16.3	1	70	
CAREER	5-12	2.4	1	6	30-473	15.8	1	70

**Rush Attempts** .....; Twice: Last Indiana, 10/10/15

**Rush Yards** .....; 11; Indiana, 10/10/15

**Rushing TDs** .....; Rutgers, 9/19/15

**Long Rush** ..... 6 yards; Indiana, 10/10/15

Receptions	.....4; Three Times: Last at Rutgers, 11/19/16
Receiving Yards	.....91; Maryland, 10/8/16
Receiving Touchdowns	.....1; Maryland, 10/8/16
Long Reception	.....70 yards; Maryland, 10/8/16
Total Offense Yards	.....91; Maryland, 10/8/16
All-Purpose Yards	.....91; Maryland, 10/8/16

#### » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

**Punt Returns (Returns-Yards-TD-YPR)**

KENT STATE 0-0-0-0; at Pitt 0-0-0-0; TEMPLE 0-0-0-0; at Michigan 0-0-0-0; MINNESOTA 0-0-0-0; MARYLAND 0-0-0-0; OHIO STATE 0-0-0-0; at Purdue DNP; IOWA 1-2-0-2; at Indiana 0-0-0-0; at Rutgers 0-0-0-0; MICHIGAN STATE 0-0-0-0; vs. Wisconsin 0-0-0-0; vs. USC 0-0-0-0.

**» THOMPKINS' CAREER PUNT RETURN STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS**

No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG	
2015	23	178	7.7	-	58
2016	1	2	2.0	-	2
CAREER	24	180	7.5	-	58

**Punt Returns** .....5; Indiana, 10/10/15

**Punt Return Yards** .....71; Buffalo, 9/12/15

**Long Punt Return** .....58 yards; Buffalo, 9/12/15

*Note: Has one kickoff return for five yards (vs. Iowa, 11/5/16).*



### 54 ROBERT WINDSOR

6-4 ► 295 ► Jr./So. Eligible  
Defensive Tackle ► Fond Du Lac, Wis.  
DUS

#### » 2016

**Awards:** Selected *BTN.com* All-Big Ten Freshman Team honorable mention.

**Season:** Appeared in all 14 games with one start...One of 18 first-time starters in 2016...One of 27 freshmen (22 redshirt, 5 true) to appear in 2016...Made his first career start at Purdue (10/29).

**Kent State (9/3):** Made his collegiate debut. **at Pitt (9/10):** Collected a career-high four tackles...Combined with Malik Golden on a TFL in the second quarter. **Temple (9/17):** Had two tackles...Combined with Torrence Brown on a sack of Phillip Walker in the fourth quarter, his first career quarterback takedown...A part of a front seven that limited Temple to just 38 rushing yards, the fewest since holding Illinois to 37 yards on the ground in 2015. **Minnesota (10/1):** Had two tackles...Combined with Kevin Givens on a fourth-quarter sack. **Maryland (10/1):** Collected three tackles, including a pair of fourth quarter stops. **Ohio State (10/22):** Logged two tackles...Made the push up front to open gap on Marcus Allen's blocked field goal in the fourth quarter, which was returned by Grant Haley for the game-winning touchdown. **at Purdue (10/29):** Made his first career start...Totalled three tackles...Helped the defense hold Purdue to just 46 yards rushing, the second opponent held under 50 yards rushing in 2016. **Iowa (11/5):** Posted three tackles. **at Rutgers (11/19):** Made one tackle. **Michigan State (11/26):** Had one tackle. **vs. USC (1/2):** Logged one tackle.

#### » 2016 GAME-BY-GAME

**Tackles (Solo-Assisted-Total)**

KENT STATE 0-1-1; at Pitt 2-2-4; TEMPLE 0-2-2; at Michigan 0-0-0; MINNESOTA 1-1-2; MARYLAND 2-1-3; OHIO STATE 0-2-2; at Purdue 2-1-3; IOWA 1-2-3; at Indiana 0-0-0; at Rutgers 1-0-1; MICHIGAN STATE 0-1-1; vs. Wisconsin 0-0-0; vs. USC 0-1-1.

#### » WINDSOR'S CAREER STATISTICS & GAME HIGHS

UA-A	TK	FF	FR	I	PBU	SACK	TFL
2016	9-14	23	-	-	-	1.0-6	1.5-6
CAREER	9-14	23	-	-	-	1.0-6	1.5-6

**Tackles** .....4; at Pitt, 9/10/16

**Sacks** .....0.5; Twice: Last Minnesota, 10/1/16

**Tackles For Loss** .....0.5; Three Times: Last Minnesota, 10/1/16



### 77 CHASZ WRIGHT

6-7 ► 354 ► Sr./Jr. Eligible  
Offensive Line ► Woodbridge, Va.  
Telecommunications

#### » 2016

**Season:** Appeared in 14 games, starting the final five games of the season...One of 18 first-time starters in 2016...Made his first career at Indiana (11/12).

**Iowa (11/5):** Saw the most extensive action of his career, after entering the game at left tackle on the third offensive play of the game after Brendan Mahon left the game...Blocked for a 167-yard rushing effort by Saquon Barkley and a 240-yard passing night for Trace McSorley...Helped Penn State to 599 yards of total offense, the most since recording 661 yards at Rutgers (1995) and the highest total offense output by Penn State against a Big Ten team since 653 yards against Michigan State (1994)...Overall, Penn State rushed for 359 yards...His efforts enabled the Nittany Lions to go 7-of-14 on third down and the offense did not have a single three-and-out in the game. **at Indiana (11/12):** Helped protect Trace McSorley during his 332-yard passing game, the third of his career - all coming in 2016. **at Rutgers (11/19):** Helped Penn State pile up eighth game of 400-plus yards and the fourth game in 2016 with at least 500 yards...Protected Trace McSorley to the tune of 210 yards passing, his eighth 200-yard passing game of the season. **Michigan State (11/26):** Instrumental in Penn State gaining 463 yards of total offense, its ninth game with at least 400 yards...Helped Trace McSorley pile up 389 yards of total offense, the sixth-most in program history...McSorley threw for 376 yards - the fifth-highest total in school history - with four touchdown passes and rushed for 13 yards. **vs. Wisconsin (12/3):** Helped Penn State score 38 points, the most scored by a Wisconsin opponent since 2014 (Ohio State, 59)...Protected quarterback Trace McSorley, who threw for 384 yards, which ranks No. 4 in Penn State history and broke the Big Ten Championship game passing record...Also gave McSorley time to connect on a Big Ten Championship game-record four passing touchdowns...Paved the way for Saquon Barkley's 83 yards rushing, which enabled him to break Evan Royster's Penn State sophomore rushing record. **vs. USC (1/2):** Made one tackle following a Trace McSorley interception in the first quarter...Helped Penn State become the first team in Rose Bowl history with a 175-yard rusher and receiver in a game (Chris Godwin, 187 receiving yards and Saquon Barkley, 194 rushing yards)...Barkley and Godwin broke the Penn State bowl records for rushing yards and receiving yards in a bowl game, respectively...Penn State's 465 yards of total offense are fourth in the school's bowl history and the most since the 1996 Outback Bowl (487)...Protected Trace McSorley to the tune of 254 yards, including a Penn State bowl-record-tying four touchdown passes.

*Note: Has one career tackle (vs. USC, 1/2/17).*

## EARLY ENROLLEES



**25**  
**BRELIN  
FAISON-WALDEN**

6-1 ► 208 ► Fr./Fr. Eligible  
Linebacker ► Greensboro, N.C.

**High School:** A four-year letterman for head coaches Darryl Brown and Pat Neal at Grimsley High School...Was a team captain his junior and senior seasons...Selected for Shrine Bowl of the Carolinas and helped North Carolina to a 17-10 win over South Carolina...Named to *USA Today* North Carolina All-State first team as a senior...Earned Metro 4-A All-Conference first team accolades as a senior...Selected as Grimsley High School team MVP as a senior...Registered 75 tackles, 5.0 sacks and one interception his senior season...Rated a four-star prospect by Rivals and earned three stars from 247Sports, ESPN and Scout...Ranked No. 19 at his position and No. 5 in North Carolina by Rivals...Ranked as the second-best safety in North Carolina, 18th in the East and No. 33 in the country at safety by Scout...Ranked No. 33 at outside linebacker and No. 20 in North Carolina by 247Sports...Ranked No. 38 at safety and No. 18 in North Carolina by ESPN...Lettered in track & field and wrestling one time each.

**Personal:** Full name is Brelin Faison-Walden...Son of Angelia Faison and Shawn Walden...Has an older sister, Kendra Bass...Cousin, Jimmy Walden, was a running back at East Carolina in the early 1980s and was on two NFL rosters...Cousin, Keenan Allen, is a wide receiver for the NFL's San Diego Chargers and played collegiately at the University of California-Berkeley...Hobbies include playing football...Intends on majoring in psychology with plans on working for the government...Born January 20, 1999 in Greensboro, North Carolina.



**73**  
**MIKE  
MIRANDA**

6-3 ► 295 ► Fr./Fr. Eligible  
Offensive Line ► Stow, Ohio

**High School:** Four-year letterman for head coach Mark Nori at Stow-Munroe High School...Was a team captain his senior year...Helped Stow-Munroe Falls to a 10-2 record and a state playoff appearance as a senior...Guided the Bulldogs to a 13-1 record and a bid in the state semifinals as a junior...Had a 41-7 record in four years of high school football...Selected as Offensive Player of the Year in the Suburban League as a senior...Earned All-State first team honors as a senior and second team accolades as a junior...Was named *Beacon Journal* Top 25 in 2015 and 2016...Was a 2016 Buckeye Blue Chip honoree by the Touchdown Club of Columbus...Selected All-Ohio Inland Division first team as a junior and senior and was a second team choice as a sophomore...Rated a four-star prospect by ESPN and a three-star prospect by 247Sports, Rivals and Scout...Ranked No. 277 among the ESPN300...Rated as the 10th-ranked player in Ohio and 21st-ranked offensive guard by ESPN...Ranked No. 4 at center and No. 20 in Ohio by 247Sports...Ranked as No. 6 in Ohio, No. 12 in the Midwest and No. 40 in the country among offensive guards by Scout...Ranked No. 19 in the country at offensive guard and No. 15 in Ohio by Rivals...Played baseball as a freshman and sophomore...Was a letterman on the basketball team as a freshman.

**Personal:** Full name is Michael Ray Miranda...Son of Teresa and Raymond Miranda...Has one brother, Chris...Hobbies include video games and cooking...Intends on majoring in business management...Born March 14, 1999.



**38**  
**LAMONT  
WADE**

5-9 ► 190 ► Fr./Fr. Eligible  
Cornerback ► Clairton, Pa.

**High School:** A four-time letterwinner for head coach Wayne Wade at the Clairton High School...Two-time team captain...Led the Bears to the Pennsylvania State Championship game with a 14-1 record as a senior...Returned interceptions for touchdowns in three consecutive playoff games to lead the Bears to the 2016 WPIAL Championship...Guided Clairton to three consecutive WPIAL titles...Posted a 51-5 record in four seasons in high school...Participated in the 2017 Under Armour All-American game...Was selected as a captain of Team Armour...Invited to the 2017 Army All-American game...Selected as *Parade* High School All-America honorable mention in 2016...Participated in The Opening...Named 2016 Gatorade Player of the Year in Pennsylvania...Won Pennsylvania's 2016 Mr. Football Class 1A-3A, marking the third consecutive season that a Nittany Lion won the award (2014 - Saquon Barkley; 2015 - Miles Sanders & Michael Shuster)...Selected as the 2016 Pennsylvania Sports Writers Class A Player of the Year...Named *Pittsburgh Post-Gazette* WPIAL Co-Player of the Year...Earned a spot on the *Pittsburgh Post-Gazette*'s Fabulous 22 team...Selected All-State first team for three consecutive seasons...Named *USA Today* All-State first team as a senior...Selected Pennsylvania Football News' Class 1A Offensive Player of the Year...Named Pennsylvania Football News' Class 1A All-State first team on offense...Was a three-time All-Region first team choice his final three years and was a second team selection as a freshman...Ran for 2,368 yards and 40 touchdowns as a running back and grabbed four interceptions as a cornerback in his senior season...Was tied for eighth in the state in scoring with 192 points as a senior...Finished his career with 7,079 rushing yards, which is third in WPIAL history, and a WPIAL-record 117 career touchdowns...Had 14 career interceptions...Rated a five-star prospect by Rivals and Scout and four-star prospect by 247Sports and ESPN...Ranked No. 11 in the country by Rivals...Rated as the No. 1 cornerback in the 2017 recruiting class, as well as the No. 1 prospect in Pennsylvania by Rivals...Ranked No. 17 overall, No. 3 cornerback and No. 1 in Pennsylvania in the 2017 class by Scout...Ranked No. 85 overall, No. 11 at cornerback and No. 3 in Pennsylvania by 247Sports...Ranked 112th among the ESPN300...Rated as the fourth-ranked player in Pennsylvania, 12th-ranked prospect in the region and 10th-ranked cornerback by ESPN...Multi-sport athlete, participating in basketball, baseball and track and field for two seasons apiece...Was the 2016 WPIAL long jump champion...Helped the Bears to the Eastern A Championship in basketball in 2016.

**Personal:** Full name is Lamont Carlton Wade...Son of Joy and Carlton Wade Sr...Has one older brother, Carlton Wade Jr., and one younger sister, Iyanna...Cousin, Courtney Fisher, attends Penn State...Hobbies include playing and listening to music...Born January 14, 1999 in Clairton, Pennsylvania.



**1**  
**KJ  
HAMLER**

5-9 ► 170 ► Fr./Fr. Eligible  
Wide Receiver ► Pontiac, Mich.

**High School:** Played for head coach Kevin Wright at IMG Academy in 2016...Two-year letterman at Orchard Lake St. Mary's, which is also the alma mater of Nittany Lion great Allen Robinson, in Michigan...Missed the 2016 season due to injury, but IMG Academy went 12-0 and won the national championship...Competed at The Opening in 2016...Won the MVP award at the Rivals Camp Series in 2016...Helped Orchard Lake St. Mary's to the Division 3 State Championship in his sophomore and junior years...Guided the Eagles to the 2014 and 2015 district and regional championships, as well as the 2015 Catholic Prep Bowl title...Earned All-State Division 3 first team accolades as a junior...Rated a four-star prospect by ESPN, Rivals and Scout and a three-star prospect by 247Sports...Ranked No. 55 at wide receiver and No. 58 in Florida by 247Sports...Ranked as No. 7 in Florida, No. 21 in the South and No. 54 overall among wide receivers by Scout...Ranked No. 45 at wide receiver and No. 48 in Florida by Rivals...Ranked No. 59 at wide receiver and No. 60 in Florida by ESPN...Ran track for two seasons and was the Team MVP...Earned the Screaming Eagle Award.

**Personal:** Full name is Kahlee Jacoby Hamler...Son of Latonya Gooding and Thomas Hamler...Has one older sister, Michelle Hamler...Hobbies include drawing...Born July 8, 1999 in Pontiac, Michigan.

## JAMES FRANKLIN



### CAREER AT A GLANCE

- Franklin enters his seventh year as a collegiate head coach, leading his first six squads to a bowl game with victories in three.
- Franklin is one of 12 current FBS head coaches to lead his teams to a bowl game in each of his first six seasons as a head coach.
- He owns a 49-30 career record, with five consecutive winning seasons.
- Franklin has led his teams to one Top 10 finish (Penn State) and three Top 25 finishes (2 at Vanderbilt; 1 at Penn State).
- Franklin has 22 years of coaching experience at the collegiate and NFL level.
- In his first five years as a head coach, Franklin mentored 24 players that have gone on to the NFL ranks.
- Franklin has secured Top 25 recruiting classes each of the last four seasons, including back-to-back Top 20 classes at Penn State.

### NITTANY LIONS ON THE FIELD

- Franklin was named the 16th head football coach in the storied history of the Nittany Lion program on January 11, 2014.
- The Nittany Lions surged in 2016, winning nine consecutive games en route to the Big Ten Championship, a Rose Bowl berth and an 11-3 overall record.
- Penn State finished the season ranked No. 5 in the College Football Playoff Rankings and No. 7 in the Associated Press and Amway Coaches polls. It was Penn State's highest finish in the polls since 2005.
- The Nittany Lions claimed their fourth overall Big Ten Championship and first outright title since 1994 with a thrilling 38-31 comeback win over Wisconsin in the Big Ten Championship game.
- In 2016, Franklin was honored as the *Sporting News* National Coach of the Year and the Woody Hayes National Coach of the Year, as well as the Dave McLain Big Ten Coach of the Year and Associated Press Big Ten Coach of the Year.
- Franklin was also a finalist for the Paul "Bear" Bryant, Eddie Robinson and Associated Press National Coach of the Year awards.
- The 2016 season brought record-breaking performances from the Nittany Lions as the offense set marks for total offense (6,056), passing yards (3,650), points scored (526) and double-digit comeback wins (4).
- The Nittany Lions' +14.4 scoring improvement in 2016 ranked fourth in FBS and second among Autonomy 5 schools.

- Sophomore running back Saquon Barkley was selected as the Graham-George Big Ten Offensive Player of the Year, Big Ten Running Back of the Year and Chicago Tribune Silver Football winner for the conference's top player. He is the fourth Nittany Lion to win the Silver Football and first since 2009.
- First-year starting quarterback Trace McSorley was named the Grange-Griffin Big Ten Championship game MVP, as well as earning Maxwell Club Tri-State Player of the Year and All-Big Ten second team honors. He was the first Penn State quarterback to win all-conference honors since Daryll Clark in 2009.
- Not to be outdone, the Nittany Lion defense finished seventh in FBS in tackles for loss (8.1) and 19th in sacks (2.86) in 2016.
- Penn State posted back-to-back 40-sack seasons (2015, 2016) for the first time since 2005-07.
- Franklin guided the Nittany Lions to a 7-6 record in 2015 and a berth in the TaxSlayer Bowl.
- Under Franklin's tutelage, Carl Nassib claimed a trio of national awards — Lombardi Award, Lott IMPACT Trophy and Ted Hendricks Award — and became Penn State's 13th unanimous Consensus All-American.
- Nassib also led the nation in sacks with a school-record 15.5 in 2015.
- The 2015 season also saw Christian Hackenberg break every Penn State career passing record, including passing yards, passing touchdowns and completions, and Barkley break the freshman season rushing record with a 1,000-yard campaign.
- Barkley was named the Big Ten Network's Freshman of the Year and claimed second team All-Big Ten honors, while wide receiver Chris Godwin (second team) and defensive tackles Austin Johnson (second team) and Anthony Zettel (third team) also earned All-Big Ten accolades.
- Franklin's first season was bookended with a pair of thrilling victories for the Nittany Lions. The Penn State head coach's inaugural season began with a final-play 26-24 victory over UCF in Dublin, Ireland in Penn State's first-ever international game and ended with a comeback, a 31-30 overtime win over Boston College in the New Era Pinstripe Bowl in Yankee Stadium. The Nittany Lions overcame a 14-point deficit late in the third quarter, tying the largest comeback in Penn State's bowl history.
- With the Pinstripe Bowl win, Franklin became just the third Penn State coach to lead the team to at least seven wins in his first season, joining Dick Harlow (1915) and Bill O'Brien (2012).
- Franklin guided the Nittany Lions to a 4-0 start, joining Harlow as the only first-year Penn State coaches to win their initial four games.

- In Franklin's first season at Penn State, he helped Mike Hull to the Butkus-Fitzgerald Big Ten Linebacker of the Year award to carry on the "Linebacker U" tradition.
- Zettel earned All-Big Ten first team honors, while receiver DaeSean Hamilton garnered All-Big Ten second team accolades after pulling in 82 catches for 899 yards.

### NITTANY LIONS IN THE CLASSROOM

- Tyler Yazyjian collected a berth on the CoSIDA Academic All-America® first team in 2016 after an appearance on the second team in 2015.
- The Nittany Lions continue their success in the classroom in the fall of 2016, with 51 squad members posting at least a 3.0 grade-point average (GPA).
- Penn State had 19 Academic All-Big Ten honorees in 2016.
- The Nittany Lion freshmen were impressive in the fall semester with 15 posting a 3.0 or higher.
- The 2015 fall semester saw the Nittany Lions post a record 56 squad members with at least a 3.0 GPA, marking the fifth consecutive semester (including summer sessions) the Nittany Lions have had more than 50 student-athletes with a 3.0 GPA or better.
- The 56 Nittany Lions with a 3.0 GPA or higher surpasses the mark of 55 set by the 2008 fall semester for the most 3.0 students in a semester in football program history.
- Additionally, 22 Nittany Lions earned Academic All-Big Ten recognition in 2015.
- A total of 23 Nittany Lions posted a 3.5 GPA or higher in the 2015 fall semester, with 19 earning Dean's List recognition for having 3.5 GPA or higher with 12 credits earned in undergraduate work.
- During Franklin's first fall semester on campus, the football student-athletes set program records with 25 student-athletes earning Dean's List recognition (3.5 GPA) and 57 players owning a cumulative 3.0 GPA or higher after the 2014 fall semester.
- Additionally, 51 squad members compiled at least a 3.0 GPA in the fall of 2014, the third-highest semester total in program history.
- The spring of 2015 saw continued success in the classroom with 51 student-athletes compiling at least a 3.0 GPA, marking the first time in program history with 50 or more 3.0s in a spring semester.

### NITTANY LIONS IN THE COMMUNITY

- In the last two years, the Nittany Lions have completed more than 4,000 hours of community service.
- The Nittany Lions' community service activities include: Uplifting Athletes, THON, Pennsylvania Special Olympics Summer Games, State College Area Food Bank and Penn State Hershey Children's Hospital visits.

- The football team's 2,100 hours of community service in 2014-15 equated to nearly 40 percent of the 5,300 community service hours by Penn State student-athletes.
- The engaging and enthusiastic Franklin is a popular speaker and media interview subject. He was a guest analyst on ESPN's coverage from the site of college football's National Championship game, spending a day appearing on various ESPN platforms in 2013 and 2014. In 2015, Franklin joined the FOX studio crew for pregame, halftime and postgame coverage of the Big Ten Championship game.
- In February 2015, Franklin was the lone college head coach among the speakers and panelists at the prestigious MIT Sloan Sports Analytics Conference in Boston. He was a panelist for the session, "The Formula to Win: College Football Analytics," which was moderated by CNN anchor/reporter Rachel Nichols.

## RECRUITING SUCCESS

- Franklin's recruiting classes in the last three years has been ranked an average of 17.0, which is a significant jump from the 40.8 average from 2012-14.
- Fifty-six of the 91 signees under Franklin are from within a 350-mile radius of State College.
- In 2017, the newest set of Nittany Lions finished in the Top 15 in the country, ranking as high as 12th by Rivals.
- The 3.57 star ranking for the 2017 class was the highest since 2010 (3.89) according to Scout.
- Penn State signed Rivals No. 1 Pennsylvania recruit in back-to-back years (2016 – Lamont Wade; 2015 – Miles Sanders) for the first time since 2004 (Anthony Morelli) and 2005 (Justin King).
- The Class of 2016 at Penn State finished in the Top 20, ranking as high as 18th by ESPN, and featured a pair of five-star recruits.
- In 2016, Franklin secured the No. 1 player in the state of Pennsylvania (Miles Sanders) for the first time since Jared Odrick (2006).
- The Nittany Lions laid claim to the No. 1 running back in the state of Pennsylvania in 2015 (Saquon Barkley) and 2016 (Sanders).
- In February 2015, the Nittany Lions' highly-regarded class of 25 signees was ranked in the Top 15 nationally by the four major recruiting services.
- Franklin and his staff organized a Top 25 recruiting class in short order after being hired at Penn State in January 2014.
- While at Vanderbilt, Franklin assembled a recruiting class that finished as high as 19th in 2014.
- In each of his three seasons in Nashville, Franklin signed classes that finished in the Top 50 nationally. Prior to Franklin's arrival, the Commodores average class rank was 64.6 since 2000 (based on 247Sports composite).

## HELPING THE COMMODORES GET THEIR WINGS

- Franklin directed Vanderbilt to consecutive Top 25 finishes for the first time in the 124-year history of the program (No. 23/24 – 2013 & No. 23/20 – 2012).
- The Commodores finished 23rd in the final 2012 Associated Press poll, marking their first AP final ranking since 1948.
- Franklin's 24 wins tied Dan McGugin for the most by a Vanderbilt coach in his first three seasons.
- Franklin led Vanderbilt to a bowl game in each of his three seasons in Nashville, with the last two years resulting in wins over North Carolina State (Music City Bowl) and Houston (BBVA Compass Bowl). The Commodores had played in four bowl games all-time in the 121 seasons prior to his arrival, none in consecutive years.
- Vanderbilt has posted four nine-win seasons in program history, with Franklin's last two teams comprising half of the total.
- Over the last 20 games during the 2012-13 seasons, the Commodores' 16-4 record was second-best in the SEC to Alabama's 17-3 mark.

## James Franklin Coaching Timeline

2014-current — Penn State (head coach)  
 2011-13 — Vanderbilt (head coach)  
 2008-10 — Maryland (assistant head coach/offensive coord./QBs)  
 2006-07 — Kansas State (offensive coordinator/quarterbacks)  
 2005 — Green Bay Packers (wide receivers)  
 2000-04 — Maryland (wide receivers/recruiting coordinator)  
 1999 — Idaho State (wide receivers)  
 1998 — Washington State (graduate assistant/tight ends)  
 1997 — James Madison (wide receivers)  
 1996 — East Stroudsburg (graduate assistant/secondary)  
 1995 — Kutztown University (wide receivers)

- Franklin guided the Commodores to a 6-6 regular-season record and earned a berth in the Liberty Bowl during his first season after inheriting a Vanderbilt team that finished 2-10 in both 2009 and 2010, including a 1-15 SEC mark.
- The 2011 bowl berth was Vanderbilt's second since 1983 and running back Zac Stacy broke the Commodores' season record with 1,193 rushing yards.
- The Commodores had a breakthrough campaign in 2012 under Franklin, finishing on a seven-game winning streak (longest since 1948) to post a 9-4 mark, Vanderbilt's most wins in 97 years, and a berth in the Music City Bowl, which VU defeated N.C. State, 38-24.
- A victory at Missouri sparked an 8-1 finish, which included three consecutive SEC road wins for the first time in program history.
- The Commodores were 5-3 in SEC play, winning five SEC games for the first time since 1935, and posted two shutouts for the first time since 1968.
- Franklin was among five finalists for the Bear Bryant National Coach of the Year award in 2012.
- Stacy became the first player in Vanderbilt history to rush for 1,000 yards in consecutive seasons, gaining 1,141 yards to finish with a school-record 3,143 yards and 30 rushing touchdowns.
- Wide receiver Jordan Matthews broke the Vanderbilt season receiving record with 1,363 yards on 94 catches.
- Vanderbilt continued its historic rise under Franklin during the 2013 season, capping a school-record second consecutive 9-4 campaign with a 41-24 win over Houston in the BBVA Compass Bowl.
- The Commodores defeated Florida, Georgia and Tennessee in the same season for the first time in program history, winning in Gainesville and Knoxville.
- Franklin helped Matthews develop into a two-time All-American and the SEC's career leader in receptions (262) and receiving yardage (3,759). Matthews broke the SEC season record with 112 receptions for 1,477 yards and seven touchdowns in 2013, becoming the first SEC receiver to make 100 catches in a season.

## RISING UP THE RANKS

- Franklin began his coaching career as the wide receivers coach at Kutztown (Pa.) University (1995) and was a graduate assistant coach at his alma mater, East Stroudsburg (Pa.) University in 1996, working with the secondary.
- He then was the wide receivers coach at James Madison (1997), a graduate assistant (tight ends) at Washington State in 1998 and the wide receivers coach at Idaho State (1999).
- In 2000, Franklin was named the wide receivers coach at Maryland under head coach Ron Vanderlinden, who would go on to coach the Penn State linebackers from 2001-13.
- Franklin continued in that role under new head coach Ralph Friedgen in 2002 and '03 and helped the Terps to three consecutive 10-win seasons, including an appearance in the 2002 FedEx Orange Bowl. In 2003, Franklin added duties as recruiting coordinator and directed back-to-back recruiting classes ranked in the Top 25 nationally. Franklin and former Nittany Lion head coach Bill O'Brien (running backs) were Maryland assistant coaches in 2003 and '04 under Friedgen.

## The James Franklin Record

Year	School	Record	Place	Bowl
2011	Vanderbilt	6-7	T-4th SEC East	Liberty: Lost to Cincinnati, 31-24
2012	Vanderbilt	9-4	4th SEC East	Music City: Beat N.C. State, 38-24
2013	Vanderbilt	9-4	4th SEC East	BBVA Compass: Beat Houston, 41-24
2014	Penn State	7-6	6th B1G East	New Era Pinstripe: Beat Boston College, 31-30 (OT)
2015	Penn State	7-6	4th B1G East	TaxSlayer: Lost to Georgia, 24-17
2016	Penn State	11-3	T-1st B1G East	Rose B1G Champions
<b>Totals</b>		<b>49-30</b>	<b>1 B1G Championship</b>	<b>Bowls: Won 3, Lost 3</b>

- After five successful years at Maryland, Franklin was named wide receivers coach on Mike Sherman's Green Bay Packers staff in 2005. During that season, Green Bay ranked third in the NFL in receptions (383) and seventh in receiving yards (3,766). Donald Driver was among the top receivers in the NFL, ranking second in receptions and eighth in receiving yards, with a then-career-high 86 catches for 1,221 yards.
- Franklin served as the offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach at Kansas State during the 2006-07 seasons under head coach Ron Prince. In 2006, he helped the Wildcats to their first winning season in four years. Franklin coached quarterback Josh Freeman and oversaw an offense that produced a 3,000-yard passer (Freeman), 1,500-yard receiver (All-American wide receiver Jordy Nelson) and 1,000-yard rusher (James Johnson) during the 2007 season, a first in school history. Freeman would go on to become the Wildcats' highest NFL offensive draft pick since 1954 when the Tampa Bay Buccaneers selected him 17th overall in the 2009 NFL Draft.
- Franklin returned to Maryland in 2008 as the Terps' assistant head coach and offensive coordinator. He helped the Terrapins to victories in the 2008 Humanitarian Bowl and the 2010 Military Bowl. The 2010 squad was among the national leaders in scoring offense at 32.2 points per game and was led by ACC Rookie of the Year quarterback Danny O'Brien. He threw for 2,438 yards, 22 touchdowns and only eight interceptions in 2010, with All-ACC receiver Torrey Smith making 67 catches for 1,055 yards and 12 scores.
- In 1998, Franklin began his participation in the NFL's Minority Coaching Fellowship Program, starting with a stint with the Miami Dolphins and working with Hall of Fame quarterback Dan Marino. Franklin also worked with Donovan McNabb of the Philadelphia Eagles (1999) and Minnesota Vikings (2008) in the NFL program.

## PLAYING CAREER

- Franklin was a four-year letterman at quarterback and a two-time All-PSAC selection at East Stroudsburg.
- He set seven school records as a senior to earn team MVP honors and was a Harlon Hill Trophy nominee as the NCAA Division II Player of the Year.
- Among the season records he set were for total offense (3,128 yards), passing yards (2,586) and touchdown passes (19).
- Franklin graduated having broken or tied 23 school records.
- Franklin was inducted into the East Stroudsburg Athletics Hall of Fame October 15, 2016.

## PERSONAL

- Franklin graduated from East Stroudsburg in 1995 with a degree in psychology and earned a master's degree in educational leadership from Washington State University.
- Franklin graduated from Neshaminy High School in Langhorne.
- Franklin and his wife, Fumi, have two daughters, Shola and Addison.

# ASSISTANT COACH & STAFF BIOS



## ► BRENT PRY

### *Associate Head Coach/ Defensive Coordinator/Linebackers*

- A native of Altoona, Pa., Brent Pry's coaching career has spanned 26 years and began during James Franklin's final two seasons as an All-PSAC quarterback at East Stroudsburg University.
- Pry has helped each program he's coached to success, including 11 bowl appearances, with Top 25 finishes in total defense in six of his last seven seasons (two at Penn State; three at Vanderbilt; 1 at Georgia Southern).
- He has played an instrumental role working with Top 10 defenses at Penn State, Vanderbilt, Virginia Tech, Georgia Southern and Western Carolina.
- Pry was promoted to associate head coach and defensive coordinator at Penn State Jan. 10, 2016.
- In his first season as defensive coordinator, Pry helped the Nittany Lions to the 2016 Big Ten Championship by guiding a defense that finished 37th in FBS total defense (367.9), seventh in tackles for loss (8.1) and 19th in sacks (2.86) despite a significant number of injuries to the linebacking corps.
- As co-defensive coordinator for Penn State, Pry helped direct a unit that had back-to-back Top 15 finishes in total defense. In 2015, the Nittany Lions finished 14th, giving up 324.5 yards per game. Under Pry's tutelage in 2014, the Penn State defense finished second in FBS in total defense, allowing just 278.7 yards per game, improving 46 spots from the 2013 season when the Lions finished 48th while giving up 381.3 yards per game.
- In 2014, Pry was a finalist for Football Scoop's Linebackers Coach of the Year to continue the "Linebacker U" tradition.
- Mike Hull earned the Big Ten Butkus-Fitzgerald Linebacker of the Year award and eight All-America honors in 2014. Hull led the Big Ten with 140 tackles, tied for fourth in school season history.
- Pry tutored the Vanderbilt linebackers and was co-defensive coordinator from 2011-13. The linebackers led the team in tackles for loss during each of Pry's three seasons and he helped Chris Marve earn All-SEC honors in 2011.
- While at Georgia Southern in 2010, his defensive unit helped the Eagles to a win over No. 1 Appalachian State and an appearance in the NCAA FCS semifinals.
- A member of the Memphis staff from 2007-09, Pry's defensive line corps helped the Tigers to back-to-back bowl appearances.
- He also coached at Louisiana-Lafayette (2002-06), boosting the Ragin' Cajuns to their first Sun Belt Conference championship, Western Carolina (1998-2001) and Virginia Tech (1995-97), helping the Hokies to three bowl games as a graduate assistant, including a win in the 1995 Sugar Bowl.
- Pry coached the East Stroudsburg outside linebackers and defensive backs in 1993-94. Pry's father, Jim, has been a college football coach for 40 years and was Franklin's offensive coordinator at East Stroudsburg.



## ► JOE MOORHEAD

### *Offensive Coordinator/Quarterbacks*

- In his 20th year in college coaching, Joe Moorhead is in his second season as offensive coordinator and quarterbacks coach after spending four seasons as the head coach of the Fordham Rams.
- Moorhead was named the 2016 National Offensive Coordinator of the Year by 247Sports.
- Moorhead's offensive juggernaut, which broke the Penn State record for total offense (6,056) and passing yards (3,650) and tied the school record for points scored (526), helped the Nittany Lions to the 2016 Big Ten Championship.

- Penn State improved its scoring average by 14.4 points from 2015 to 2016, which ranked fourth in FBS and second among Autonomy 5 schools.
- The Nittany Lions scored 30 or more points in 11 games in 2016, which was the most since the 1994 squad did it in all 12 contests.
- Offensive general, Trace McSorley threw for a school-record 29 touchdown passes en route to earning All-Big Ten second team honors, Big Ten Championship game MVP and Maxwell Club Tri-State Player of the Year.
- After inheriting a program that went 1-10, Moorhead steadily built Fordham into a Football Championship Subdivision (FCS) playoff regular, along the way, leading the Rams to their best season in program history in 2013 and the Patriot League title in 2014.
- Moorhead earned a 38-13 record as the Rams' head coach with three consecutive berths in the FCS playoffs.
- During his tenure, Moorhead produced the highest ranking in program history (No. 5 in 2013), highest final ranking in program history (No. 9 in 2013 and 2014), the first two wins over FBS schools in program history and the first two wins over Top 10 opponents in school history.
- Moorhead guided the 2014 Jerry Rice Award for the NCAA FCS Rookie of the Year, three consecutive Patriot League Offensive Players of the Year, 11 All-Americans, five CoSIDA Academic All-Americans and 55 All-Patriot League performers (37 first team, 18 second team) while with the Rams.
- Under Moorhead, the Rams were consistently one of the top offensive teams in FCS. The Moorhead-led offense set 16 school records (individual and team) in 2013 and 2014.
- In 2014, Moorhead led the Rams to their first Patriot League title since 2007 with a perfect 6-0 mark in league play and an 11-3 record overall.
- In one of the most impressive seasons in school history, Moorhead guided the Rams to a 12-2 record in 2013, which included the program's first win over an FBS opponent (Temple) and the school's first two wins over Top 10 opponents (Villanova, Lehigh).
- For his efforts, Moorhead was named the 2013 AFCA Regional Co-Coach of the Year and Patriot League Coach of the Year. He was also a finalist for the Eddie Robinson Award and the Liberty Mutual Coach of the Year.
- Before returning to take the helm at his alma mater, Moorhead spent three seasons at Connecticut, including two as the offensive coordinator. He helped lead the Huskies to 2010 Big East Championship and a berth in the 2011 Fiesta Bowl.
- Additionally, Moorhead was at Akron for five seasons, Georgetown for four seasons and a pair of seasons as a graduate assistant at Pitt.



## ► CHARLES HUFF

### *Special Teams Coordinator/ Running Backs Coach*

- Charles Huff is in his 13th season of coaching and fourth at Penn State as the special teams coordinator and running backs coach.
- Huff was a versatile player and team captain at Hampton University, playing multiple positions on offense, which has greatly assisted him during his college and NFL coaching career.
- In the 2016 Big Ten Championship season, Huff mentored a pair of Penn State record breakers in sophomore running back Saquon Barkley and junior kicker Tyler Davis.
- Barkley broke the Penn State sophomore record for rushing yards (1,496), all-purpose yards (1,972) and points scored (132) on the way to winning Big Ten Graham-George Offensive Player of the Year and Big Ten Ameche-Dayne Running Back of the Year.
- Davis collected All-Big Ten first team honors after tying the Big Ten season record for kicking points (128) and breaking the school record for field goals by a junior (22) and consecutive field goals made (18). Davis also won the Vlade Award for the nation's most accurate kicker, given by the Touchdown Club of Columbus.

- Huff guided freshman punter Blake Gillikin, who was All-Big Ten honorable mention and ESPN.com True Freshman All-America, after averaging 42.8 yards per punt to rank seventh on Penn State's season list.
- In 2015, Huff was instrumental in the breakout season of Barkley. The Freshman All-American broke the Penn State freshman season rushing record with 1,076 yards en route to being named the Big Ten Network's Big Ten Freshman of the Year.
- In 2014, he guided Sam Ficken to All-Big Ten and Lou Groza Award semifinalist accolades, connecting on a Penn State season record 24 field goals (in 29 attempts).
- Huff spent the 2013 season at Western Michigan as the running backs coach and helped the unit nearly double its rushing yards from 2012. The Broncos ran for 1,394 yards in 2013 after running for just 735 yards the year before.
- Huff spent the 2012 season with the Buffalo Bills as assistant running backs coach, helping C.J. Spiller to his first career 1,000-yard rushing campaign and a Pro Bowl invitation. The Bills topped 2,000 rushing yards as a team for the first time in 13 seasons and ranked sixth in the NFL with 2,217 yards in 2012.
- Huff was a member of James Franklin's 2011 staff at Vanderbilt as the offensive quality control coach and they worked together at Maryland in 2009, when Huff was the assistant offensive line coach.
- He also worked at Hampton (2010) as the offensive line/running game coordinator.
- Huff was the tight ends/special teams coach at Tennessee State (2007-08), working with NFL first-round draft pick Dominique Rodgers-Cromartie.
- From Denton, Maryland, Huff began his coaching career as the Tennessee State offensive line coach in 2006 and also had duties in football operations in 2007-08.



## ► TIM BANKS

### *Co-Defensive Coordinator/Safeties*

- Banks is in his second season with the Nittany Lions as the co-defensive coordinator and safeties coach after spending four seasons at Illinois.
- In his first season at Penn State, Banks helped the Nittany Lions to the Big Ten Championship by guiding a unit that finished 37th in FBS total defense (367.9), seventh in tackles for loss (8.1) and 19th in sacks (2.86).
- Under Banks' tutelage, junior safety Marcus Allen garnered 2016 All-Big Ten third team honors after leading the team with 110 tackles, including 6.0 tackles for loss, and two fumble recoveries.
- Allen also blocked the field goal attempt that led to Grant Haley's scoop-and-score for the game-winning touchdown against No. 2 Ohio State.
- As the co-defensive coordinator and secondary coach at Illinois in 2015, Banks led the Fighting Illini to 15th-place finish in FBS in passing yards allowed (184.4) and 21st in team passing efficiency defense (112.24).
- He helped the Fighting Illini to the Zaxby's Heart of Dallas Bowl in 2014.
- Three players from the 2012 Illini defense were selected in the 2013 NFL Draft - Akeem Spence (4th round; Tampa Bay Buccaneers), Terry Hawthorne (5th round; Pittsburgh Steelers) and Michael Buchanan (7th round; New England Patriots).
- Prior to his time in Champaign, Banks spent the 2010 and 2011 seasons as the co-defensive coordinator and defensive backs coach at Cincinnati, helping the Bearcats to the 2011 Big East Co-Championship.
- During his tenure, the Bearcats made significant improvement on defense, including finishing sixth in rushing defense the country, ninth in turnover margin and second in sacks in 2011.
- The defensive success helped propel Cincinnati to a win in the 2011 AutoZone Liberty Bowl.
- Banks coached 2011 Big East Co-Defensive Player of the Year and 2012 NFL Draft second round pick Derek Wolfe as well as first-team All-Big East selections Drew Frey and JK Schaefer.

## ASSISTANT COACH & STAFF BIOS

- Following the 2011 season, he was nominated for the Broyles Award for Assistant Coach of the Year.
- Additionally, Banks spent three seasons as the defensive coordinator at his alma mater, Central Michigan, helping the Chippewas win two Mid-American Conference titles and three bowl appearances.
- Banks spent four seasons at Maryland, serving as the inside linebackers coach from 2003-05 and the defensive backs coach in 2006.
- He helped the Terps to the 2006 Champs Sports Bowl and the 2004 Gator Bowl.
- Under Banks' guidance, linebacker D'Qwell Jackson was a two-time All-Atlantic Coast Conference first team selection (2004-05), ACC Defensive Player of the Year (2005) and a Bednarik Award finalist (2005).
- Banks and Franklin worked together for two seasons (2003-04) at Maryland when Franklin was the wide receivers coach and Banks was the inside linebackers coach.
- Banks has also made coaching stops at Memphis as the defensive backs coach (2002) and outside linebackers coach (2001), Bowling Green as the defensive backs coach (2000) and running backs coach (1999), Ferris State as the defensive backs coach (1997-98) and Bowling Green as a graduate assistant (1996).



### ► JOSH GATTIS

#### **Offensive Recruiting Coordinator/ Assistant Special Teams Coordinator/ Wide Receivers Coach**

- Josh Gattis is in his fourth season as Penn State's offensive recruiting coordinator and wide receivers coach. He also works closely with Charles Huff as assistant special teams coordinator.
- He is entering his eighth season in the coaching ranks and is in his sixth year as a member of James Franklin's staff.
- In his role as the offensive recruiting coordinator, Gattis has helped the Nittany Lions secure four consecutive Top 25 classes, including Top 15 classes in two of the last three seasons.
- Gattis' receivers were an impressive group that helped the Nittany Lions claim the 2016 Big Ten Championship, led by junior Chris Godwin, who claimed All-Big Ten accolades for the second-straight season with an appearance on the third team in 2016.
- Godwin broke the Penn State junior record and was second on the program's season charts with 11 touchdowns catches. He also finished sixth in Penn State history with 982 receiving yards in his junior season.
- He finished his career ranked fourth on Penn State's receiving yardage chart (2,404) and touchdowns (18), as well as sixth in receptions (153).
- Gattis guided a strong group of wideouts in 2015 with Godwin (second team) and DaeSean Hamilton (honorable mention) earning All-Big Ten honors.
- Godwin became the third player in Penn State history (Bobby Engram & Allen Robinson) to have 1,000 receiving yards in a season with 69 catches for 1,101 yards.
- Under Gattis' tutelage, Hamilton has moved into Penn State's career Top 10 in receptions (T-4th; 161 rec.) and receiving yards (10th; 1,985).
- Named the 2015 Scout.com Big Ten Recruiter of the Year, Gattis was instrumental in Penn State signing a Top 15 recruiting class in 2015.
- In 2014, Gattis mentored Hamilton, who led the Big Ten in receptions en route to all-conference accolades, Freshman All-America honors and Big Ten All-Freshman team awards. Hamilton's 82 receptions in 2014 rank second in Penn State season annals.
- Gattis has coached a pair of All-America wideouts.
- He helped Western Michigan's Jordan White earn the All-America honors in 2011 when he led the NCAA with 140 receptions for 1,911 yards. White's totals broke the Western Michigan and

- Mid-American Conference records and he broke the MAC career receiving yardage record.
- Gattis joined Franklin's staff at Vanderbilt in 2012 and tutored Jordan Matthews to All-America accolades twice. Matthews ended his career as the Southeastern Conference's career leader in receptions (262) and receiving yards (3,759), while also owning the SEC season mark with 107 catches, set in 2013.
- Matthews is also the only player in SEC history to record two seasons of at least 90 catches and the only player with 100-plus receptions in a season.
- Gattis has made an immediate impact in coaching after earning All-ACC honors as a safety at Wake Forest and spending two seasons playing with the NFL's Chicago Bears.
- Gattis broke into coaching as a graduate assistant at North Carolina (2010) on the offensive staff.



### ► MATT LIMEGROVER

#### **Offensive Line**

- Matt Limegrover is in his second season as offensive line coach for the Nittany Lions and has 26 years of collegiate coaching experience.
- Limegrover's offensive line battled injuries, but was the cornerstone for Penn State's record-breaking offense and 2016 Big Ten Championship run.
- In 2016, the Nittany Lions broke the Penn State record for total offense (6,056) and passing yards (3,650) and tied the school record for points scored (526).
- Senior center Brian Gaia claimed All-Big Ten honorable mention laurels, while redshirt-freshman lineman Ryan Bates was named to the USA Today and FWA Freshman All-America teams.
- Limegrover spent five seasons at Minnesota as the offensive coordinator and offensive line coach. He held the title of assistant head coach his last two seasons with the Gophers.
- During Limegrover's tenure, the Golden Gopher offense had steady growth, increasing their scoring average by 10 points from 2011-14.
- He helped Minnesota to three consecutive bowls and eight wins in 2013 and 2014 after a 3-9 mark in 2011.
- In 2014, Minnesota had its first offensive lineman receive All-Big Ten first team honors since 2005 when Zac Epping claimed the recognition.
- Limegrover spent 16 seasons working under former Minnesota head coach Jerry Kill, following him along four stops at Minnesota, Northern Illinois, Southern Illinois and Emporia State.
- Limegrover started his time with Kill as the offensive line coach at Emporia State for two seasons (1999-2000) and then served as the offensive coordinator and offensive line coach under Kill at Southern Illinois (2001-07) and Northern Illinois (2008-10).
- During his tenure at Northern Illinois, Limegrover produced seven All-Mid-American Conference offensive linemen during his time with the Huskies, including two first team selections in 2010.
- Limegrover helped Northern Illinois to three consecutive bowl appearances and the 2010 MAC West title.
- The Huskie line gave up only 15 sacks in 2009. NIU also led the MAC and ranked 19th nationally in rushing with 202.42 yards per game that year.
- At Southern Illinois, Limegrover helped the Salukis win three conference championships and guided an offense that ranked in the Top 10 in scoring in the NCAA for six consecutive seasons (2002-07).
- Limegrover also made coaching stops at Ferris State (1997-98) as the offensive line coach and run game coordinator, Northwestern (1995-96) as a graduate assistant and his alma mater, the University of Chicago (1991-94) serving in a variety of roles, spanning interim head coach, offensive coordinator, offensive line coach and tight ends coach.
- Limegrover was part of two Big Ten Championship teams while at Northwestern.



### ► RICKY RAHNE

#### **Passing Game Coordinator/ Tight Ends**

- Rahne made a strong impression on James Franklin when they coached together at Kansas State in 2006-07 and he joined the Vanderbilt staff as quarterbacks coach in 2011.
- In 2016, Rahne's tight end corps played an integral role in the Nittany Lions claiming their first Big Ten Championship since 1994.
- Rahne's tight end protege Mike Gesicki collected All-Big Ten second team accolades after setting the Penn State record for receptions (48), receiving yards (679) and touchdown catches (5) by a tight end. The tight end receiving yardage record was set by All-American Ted Kwalick in 1977.
- Rahne worked with Christian Hackenberg, helping him break all major Penn State career passing records.
- Hackenberg is the only 8,000-yard passer in program history and finished his career as Penn State leader in career 300-yard passing games (9), 200-yard passing games (21), passing yards (8,457), attempts (1,235), completions (693), passing touchdowns (48) and total offense (8,215).
- Rahne's passing attacks helped Vanderbilt wide receivers set SEC records and running backs post a pair of 1,000-yard seasons from 2011-13.
- In 2013, Austyn Carta-Samuels completed a superlative 68.7 percent of his passes (193-of-281), good for third nationally among FBS Autonomy 5 quarterbacks. He entered the Top 10 in Vanderbilt season history with 2,383 yards of total offense, despite missing three games.
- In 2012, Jordan Rodgers posted the fourth-highest passing yardage total in school history and logged the eighth-highest total offense yardage.
- Rahne spent five seasons at Kansas State, serving as the offensive graduate assistant (2006), where he worked with quarterback Josh Freeman, helping him become a first-round NFL draft choice.
- He also served as the Wildcats' running backs (2007-08) and tight ends coach (2009-10) and helped the Wildcats earn two bowl berths.
- A former pupil, tight end Jeron Masturd, spent three seasons with the NFL's Miami Dolphins and Oakland Raiders.
- Masturd was an All-Big 12 first team selection in 2009 and graduated as K-State's all-time leader in receiving yards and receptions by a tight end.
- Rahne also has coached at Cornell, his alma mater, and Holy Cross, where he worked with Sean Spencer.



### ► TERRY M. SMITH

#### **Assistant Head Coach/ Defensive Recruiting Coordinator/ Cornerbacks**

- A standout wide receiver at Penn State, Terry M. Smith is in his fourth season as the Nittany Lions' defensive recruiting coordinator and cornerbacks coach.
- Smith added the title of assistant head coach following the 2015 season.
- From Aliquippa, Pa., Smith returned to his alma mater in 2014 after successful high school and college coaching stops and playing professional football.
- In his role as the defensive recruiting coordinator, Smith has helped the Nittany Lions secure four consecutive Top 25 classes, including Top 15 classes in two of the last three seasons.

## ASSISTANT COACH & STAFF BIOS

- The cornerbacks made several key plays to help the Nittany Lions to the 2016 Big Ten Championships. Grant Haley scooped up the blocked field goal attempt and returned it 60 yards for the game-winning touchdown in the upset win over No. 2 Ohio State. Haley also combined with safety Marcus Allen on the game-sealing tackle on fourth-and-1 on Wisconsin's final drive of the Big Ten Championship game.
- Under Smith's guidance, sophomore John Reid earned All-Big Ten honorable mention accolades after leading the Nittany Lions with 10 passes defended.
- The cornerback room was also successful in the classroom in 2016 as Haley earning CoSIDA Academic All-District accolades. Haley and Garrett Taylor also garnered Academic All-Big Ten honors.
- Smith's second season saw the secondary rank eighth in FBS in passing yards allowed (173.5).
- Cornerbacks Trevor Williams and Grant Haley each earned honorable-mention All-Big Ten accolades in 2015.
- In his first year back at Penn State, he helped develop a secondary that boosted the Nittany Lions to second nationally in pass efficiency defense.
- Smith was the wide receivers coach at Temple in 2013 and helped the Owls' passing game reach new heights.
- Temple set a school record for passing yards (2,996) and tied the school standard with 23 receiving touchdowns in 2013, with future New York Jet Robby Anderson gaining a school game record 249 yards.
- A standout player at Gateway High School near Pittsburgh, Smith was a highly successful head coach at his alma mater from 2002-12, compiling a record of 101-30 and posting four WPIAL AAAA runner-up finishes.
- He has mentored six NFL players, including former Nittany Lions Trevor Williams, Jordan Lucas, Justin King and Lydell Sargeant.
- Smith coached in three U.S. Army All-America and Semper Fidelis All-America games.
- Smith also coached at Duquesne University (four years) and Hempfield (Pa.) High School after completing his playing career, which spanned the National Football League, Arena Football League and Canadian Football League.



### ► SEAN SPENCER

#### *Run Game Coordinator/ Defensive Line*

- Sean Spencer is in his fourth season as the Nittany Lions' defensive line coach. He added the title of run game coordinator in 2016.
- The Wild Dogs reloaded after graduating three players to the

NFL and did not miss a step in 2016, finishing seventh in FBS in tackles for loss (8.1) and 19th in sacks (2.86) to play a pivotal role in Penn State's Big Ten Championship run.

- The Nittany Lions posted back-to-back 40-sack seasons (2015, 2016) for the first time since 2005-07.
- Junior defensive end Garrett Sickels (second team) and senior defensive end Evan Schwab (third team) collected All-Big Ten laurels after tying for the team lead with 6.0 sacks apiece. Sickels had 12.5 tackles for loss, while Schwab had 8.5 hits behind the line.
- Spencer's influence was front and center in 2015 as the defensive line paced a defense that led FBS in sacks (3.54 spg) and was sixth in tackles for loss (8.2) and 14th in total defense (324.5).
- Under Spencer's guidance former walk-on Carl Nassib burst onto the national scene, winning the Rotary Lombardi Award, Lott IMPACT Trophy, Hendricks Award and Woodson-Nagurski Big Ten Defensive Player of the Year while breaking the Penn State single-season sacks record with 15.5 in 2015. Nassib also became Penn State's 13th unanimous Consensus All-American.
- Defensive tackles Austin Johnson (second team) and Anthony Zettel (third team) garnered 2015 All-Big Ten honors.
- Spencer was selected a finalist for Football Scoop's Defensive Line Coach of the Year in 2014, as he led a unit that helped Penn State finish No. 3 in FBS rushing defense (100.5) and second in total

defense (278.7).

- Spencer mentored Zettel to first-team All-Big Ten honors in 2014 after recording 17.0 tackles for loss, including 8.0 sacks, and a team-best tying three interceptions.
- During his 2011-13 tenure at Vanderbilt, Spencer's defensive lines helped Vanderbilt finish in the Top 25 in total defense all three years.
- The Commodores recorded 28, 31 and 28 sacks under Spencer, with the D-Line posting 42.5 tackles for loss in 2013.
- Spencer mentored defensive end Caleb Azubike, who set a Vanderbilt true freshman record with four sacks in 2012 and was named to the ESPN.com SEC All-Freshman team.
- Spencer coached the Bowling Green defensive line in 2009-10, where he mentored Chris Jones to All-Mid-American Conference honors and helped the Falcons to the 2009 Humanitarian Bowl, despite not returning a single starter on the defensive line.
- Jones emerged as a starter for the New England Patriots in 2013, recording six sacks, and played the second-highest number of snaps among NFL rookie defensive tackles.
- Spencer has had two stints at Massachusetts, coaching the defensive line in 2007-08 and in 2001-03, also coordinating the special teams during his second stint with the Minutemen.
- He also has coached at Hofstra (2006), Villanova (2005), Holy Cross (2004), where he worked with Ricky Rahne, Trinity College (1998-2000), Shippensburg (1996-97) and Wesleyan (1995).



### ► DWIGHT GALT

#### *Assistant Athletics Director, Performance Enhancement*

- In his fourth year with the Nittany Lions, Dwight Galt was promoted to Assistant Athletics Director, Performance Enhancement in March 2015.
- He oversees the performance enhancement regimen for all of Penn State's 31 varsity programs and works directly with the football program.

- With more than 32 years of strength and conditioning experience at the collegiate level, Galt worked with James Franklin at Maryland for eight years, before joining him at Vanderbilt from 2011-13.
- Galt has played a significant role in the Nittany Lions' 2016 Big Ten Championship run, as well as a trio of nine-plus win seasons under Franklin (1 at Penn State; 2 at Vanderbilt).
- Galt and his performance enhancement staff design and administer dynamic and diverse strength and power training, speed enhancement, flexibility, conditioning, and agility training programs to maximize each athlete's athleticism.
- To bridge the gap between preparation and competition, Galt and his staff also focus on sport specificity, nutrition, and injury prevention to aggressively prepare each athlete for competition.
- He has helped train more than 30 former student-athletes who are active in the National Football League.
- Galt-trained athletes have consistently impressed NFL scouts, including tight end Vernon Davis, defensive end Shawn Merriman and receiver Darrius Heyward-Bey.
- Galt worked with a pair of Maryland's ACC Championship football teams and also served as the conditioning coach for the Terps' men's basketball program.
- From 1993-2011, Galt was responsible for the strength and conditioning for the student-athletes in all 27 Maryland sports.
- Galt is a prestigious Master Strength and Conditioning Coach (MSCC), certified with the Collegiate Strength and Conditioning Coaches' Association.
- One of his twin sons, Dwight Galt IV, is in his sixth year at Penn State as a Performance Enhancement coach with the football program. His other twin son, Tommy, is the offensive line coach at VMI after spending two seasons as a graduate assistant football coach with the Nittany Lions.



### ► JEMAL GRIFFIN

#### *Chief of Staff*

- Jemal Griffin is in his fourth year as Chief of Staff for Penn State Football.
- Griffin's primary responsibilities include the day-to-day management of the football program and its administrative staff, oversight of the football budget and handling all football contracts. In addition, he serves as the team's liaison to the athletic and university administration.
- Griffin served in a similar capacity with James Franklin at Vanderbilt for three years.
- He also worked with Franklin at Maryland, serving as the Director of Football Operations from 2008-10 where he was responsible for the daily management of the Maryland football program, including team travel, budget management, team housing, fundraising and special events.
- He served as Maryland's assistant recruiting coordinator in 2006-07. During that time, the Terps landed nine prep All-Americans and 31 others ranked among the nation's top 100 at their positions.
- Prior to joining the Terps, Griffin spent six years on the staff at Woodlawn High School in Baltimore. He started as a defensive backs coach in 2000 and was promoted in 2001 to assistant head coach/offensive coordinator. Griffin coached two prep All-Americans, as well as numerous all-state players at Woodlawn. The school won two Baltimore County titles and two Maryland 4A North Region titles during his tenure.
- A native of Baltimore, Griffin earned his degree in management from Coppin State University, where he was a four-year starter on the baseball team and was named to the MEAC All-Tournament team as a senior.
- Griffin and his wife, Carla, are the parents of two sons, Brandon and Joshua, and a daughter, Billie Grace. Brandon is an inside linebacker on the Morgan State University football team.



### ► KEVIN THRELKEL

#### *Director of Football Administration*

- Kevin Threlkel is in his fourth year as Penn State's Director of Football Administration.
- In his capacity, Threlkel handles daily internal operations, team travel logistics, preseason camp and serves as the team's liaison to the Nittany Lion Club, Penn State Alumni Association and the Penn State Football Letterman's Club.
- Threlkel served as the Assistant Director of Football Operations under James Franklin at Vanderbilt for three years from 2011-13.
- Prior to Vanderbilt, Threlkel was at the University of Maryland for two seasons, serving as the football operations intern in 2009 and program management specialist in 2010.
- The ties between Threlkel and Franklin date to Kansas State in 2006 and 2007, when the Wildcat undergraduate worked as the team's offensive and recruiting assistant.
- During 2008 and the spring of 2009, Threlkel served as a development assistant with the Ahearn Fund, Kansas State's athletic development organization.
- A native of Hays, Kansas, Threlkel earned his bachelor's degree in business management from Kansas State University in December 2007 and obtained a master's degree in counseling and student development from Kansas State University in May 2009.

## ASSISTANT COACH & STAFF BIOS



### ► MICHAEL HAZEL

#### *Director of Football Operations*

- Michael Hazel is in his fourth year as the Nittany Lions' Director of Football Operations.
- His primary responsibilities include overseeing football's external operations, facilities and handling of Coach Franklin's public appearances.
- Additionally, he serves as the program's liaison to marketing, strategic communications and high school coaches.
- Hazel was a finalist for the Football Scoop Director of Operations of the Year in 2015 and 2016.
- Hazel also was a member of James Franklin's staff at Vanderbilt University, serving as Director of Football Operations for three years. Hazel was a member of the Vanderbilt football staff from 2004-14, serving four seasons as Director of Football Operations, six as Assistant Director of Football Operations and one as a defensive graduate assistant.
- At Vanderbilt, Hazel was a part of more than half of the institution's bowl games, including the school's first bowl game in 26 years in 2008 and unprecedented back-to-back bowl victories the last two seasons.
- Before joining Vanderbilt, Hazel spent three seasons as a defensive graduate assistant at his alma mater, Elon University. Hazel was a four-year letterman at Elon, playing linebacker and contributing on special teams. He helped Elon to a 28-16 record as the program transitioned to Division I-AA and was an eight-time member of the Elon Athletic Director's Honor Roll.
- Hazel, a native of Easley, South Carolina, and a graduate of Wren High School, holds two master's degrees. He earned an M.Ed. in organizational leadership from Vanderbilt in 2007 and an MBA from Elon University in 2004. Hazel received his bachelor's degree in corporate communications from Elon in 2001.
- Hazel and his wife, Molly, have a son, Ezra, and reside in State College.



### ► WILL FLAHERTY

#### *Director of Player Development & Community Relations*

- Will Flaherty is in his first full seasons as the Director of Player Development and Community Relations and his second season overall with the Nittany Lions.
- Flaherty's primary responsibilities include assisting in all aspects of

on-campus recruiting, planning all appearances and speaking requests for the players, coordinating the team's extensive community outreach initiatives, creating professional development programs for the players and overseeing the freshmen, transfers and commits in their transition/application process to Penn State.

- Prior to moving into his current role, Flaherty was an assistant recruiting coordinator for the Nittany Lions beginning in August 2016.
- As an assistant recruiting coordinator, he assisted with on-campus prospect visits, maintained statistics and information on prospective student-athletes and assisted in the planning of the coaches' off-campus recruiting visit schedule.
- Prior to coming to Penn State, Flaherty spent three seasons as the defensive line coach, recruiting coordinator and co-academic coordinator at Iowa Western Community College.
- In his time at IWCC, Flaherty posted a 32-4 record and won a pair of Graphic Edge Bowl games.
- Flaherty also spent five seasons as co-defensive coordinator and running backs coach at Our Lady of Good Counsel High School in Olney, Maryland. During that time span, he helped 34 student-athletes earn full scholarships and had eight players participate in the Army or Under Armour All-American games.
- Flaherty gained familiarity with James Franklin and members of the Penn State coaching staff when he spent nearly three years at the University of Maryland as an offensive/special teams intern.
- He graduated from Maryland with his degree in kinesiology in May 2013.



### ► TIM BREAM

#### *Assistant Athletics Director, Sports Medicine Support Services Head Athletic Trainer for Football*

- Tim Bream is in his sixth year at Penn State and was promoted to Assistant Athletic Director, Sports Medicine Support Services in March 2015.
- He is responsible for overseeing sports medicine support and athletic training services for all 31 Penn State varsity sports, including football, and the university's approximately 800 student-athletes.
- Bream returned to his alma mater after 19 years with the National Football League's Chicago Bears. He had served as the head athletic trainer with Chicago since 1997 after spending the four previous years with the Bears as an assistant athletic trainer.
- Prior to working in the NFL, Bream held athletic trainer positions at several schools, including Richmond, where he was the director of sports medicine and head athletic trainer (1998-92), Vanderbilt (1986-88), Syracuse (1984-86) and West Virginia (1983-84).
- Bream has also worked with the United States Olympic Committee medical staffs, including the 1991 World University Games in England and the 1992 Winter Olympics in Albertville, France.
- Bream graduated from Penn State with a bachelor's degree in health and physical education, with an emphasis in athletic training. A native of Gettysburg, Pennsylvania, he earned his master's degree in physical education with an emphasis in sports science from West Virginia.
- He has served as an instructor and lecturer in collegiate and professional settings, co-authored articles for national publications and been a presenter at numerous national athletic training seminars and symposia.
- Bream has two daughters, Rebecca and Elizabeth.



### ► ANDY FRANK

#### *Director of Player Personnel*

- Andy Frank is in his fourth year as the Director of Player Personnel for the football program. He oversees all aspects of the program's recruiting department.
- Frank has helped the Nittany Lions secure Top 25 recruiting classes each of the last four years, including Top 15 classes in two of the last three seasons.
- Frank was a member of James Franklin's Vanderbilt staff, serving as the Player Personnel Coordinator for three years.
- In his role at Vanderbilt, Frank oversaw the two highest ranked recruiting classes in Vanderbilt history (2012 ranked No. 29; 2013 ranked No. 19 nationally by Rivals.com).
- Frank was a member of the Vanderbilt staff from 2005-13, serving in several capacities, including defensive graduate assistant (2005-07), defensive quality control (2008), Assistant Recruiting Coordinator (2009), Assistant Director of Football Operations (2010) and Player Personnel Coordinator (2011-13).
- Before arriving at Vanderbilt, Frank worked four years for an engineering firm while also serving as an assistant football coach at Lincoln High School in Warren, Michigan.
- A native of Sterling Heights, Michigan, he played running back at Stevenson High School. He then went on to play defensive back and special teams at Princeton University.
- He earned a bachelor of science degree in engineering from Princeton in 2001 and a master's in education from Vanderbilt in 2007.



### ► JEVIN STONE

#### *Video Director*

- Jevin Stone is in his sixth year as Video Director for the football program after serving as a video assistant since 2009.
- Stone oversees all functions of the video department, including filming and editing games and practices, budgeting and

managing the student staff.

- He was selected as the team's 2016 Support Staff Member of the Year and was the 2015 Big Ten Video Coordinator of the Year by the Collegiate Sports Video Association (CSVA).
- Stone earned two football letters as an offensive lineman at Indiana State and graduated in 2004. Following his playing career, Stone worked on the video staff for the football team.
- He was a member of the Indianapolis Colts' video staff (2004-06), including the Super Bowl XLI Championship team. He also was the head video director for the Berlin Thunder of NFL Europe in 2006, followed by a one-year stint with the Frankfurt Galaxy.
- Stone was a video assistant with the Cleveland Browns in 2007-08 and rejoined the Colts' video staff in 2008-09. He returned to the college ranks in 2009 as a video assistant at Penn State.
- Stone oversees all video software and equipment in the Lasch football building. He supervises all of the video and computer needs for the Penn State football program as well as the filming and editing of all practices and games with the state-of-the-art XOS Thunder System. This technology allows the coaches and players to view any play or sequence at the click of a button from any computer, tablet or smart phone. Video is merged with key data, such as down and distance, to provide coaches and players

## SUPPORT STAFF

### FOOTBALL SUPPORT STAFF



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Football Athletic Trainer



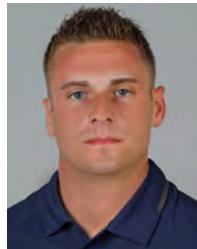
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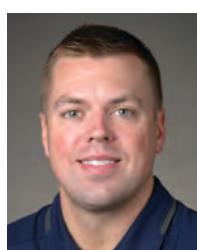
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For more information on becoming a part of Penn State's proud athletic tradition, please call the Nittany Lion Club Office of Major Gifts at 814-863-GIFT (4438).



Head Coach  
**PATRICK & CANDACE MALLOY**

### OFFENSE

Left Tackle AVAILABLE	Left Guard <b>BILL &amp; ELKE SPOOR</b>	White Center <b>JIM &amp; JANET MEISTER</b>	Right Guard <b>JIM &amp; PEG STINE</b>	Right Tackle <b>TOM &amp; BETH STUBLER FAMILY</b>
Offensive Lineman <b>GLORIA GERSHENOW</b>	Blue Center <b>KAREN &amp; SCOTT SHEARER</b>	White Quarterback <b>KERRY COLLINS</b>	Blue Quarterback <b>RICHARD &amp; DOLORES SCHROEDER</b>	Tight End <b>RICHARD SCHROEDER</b>
Split End <b>MARTY LANE &amp; SHERI PHILLIPS</b>	Fullback <b>DEWEY &amp; DORIS WALKER</b>			Left Cornerback <b>DALLAS &amp; DI KRAFF</b>
Tailback <b>LENNY MOORE/BUD ROWELL</b>		Flanker <b>RICK CHIVAROLI</b>		Nickel <b>JOHN &amp; WILLIE LEONE</b>
Placekicker <b>ROBERT &amp; JUDY KLEIN</b>	Punter <b>JOHN &amp; ANN CURLEY</b>			Strong Safety <b>GREG WOLF</b>

### DEFENSE

Left End <b>JOE &amp; PHYLLIS SHEARER</b>	Defensive Tackle <b>MEL KLING</b>	Right End <b>HARDY &amp; JOAN WILLIAMS</b>
Linebacker <b>ROBERT &amp; LINDA SCHIMMEL</b>	Middle Linebacker <b>KENTON &amp; AUDREY BROYLES</b>	Outside Linebacker <b>FRITZ DEFLURI/RICHARD DEFLURI</b>
Outside Linebacker <b>RICHARD SCHROEDER</b>	Hero <b>CHRIS &amp; LINDA CHRISTENSEN</b>	Right Cornerback <b>JACK &amp; LARAINA BEITER</b>
Left Cornerback <b>DALLAS &amp; DI KRAFF</b>		Strong Safety <b>GREG WOLF</b>
Nickel <b>JOHN &amp; WILLIE LEONE</b>	Walk-on <b>ANDY &amp; MATT JOYNER</b>	Walk-on <b>JOHN &amp; CHRISTINE BORGERDING</b>

# 2016 SEASON IN REVIEW

## 2016 RESULTS & STATISTICS

Date	PSU Rank	Opponent	Score	Attendance	Big Ten	Overall
Sept. 3		KENT STATE	W, 33-13	94,378	0-0	1-0
Sept. 10		at Pittsburgh	L, 39-42	69,983	0-0	1-1
Sept. 17		TEMPLE	W, 34-27	100,420	0-0	2-1
Sept. 24		at Michigan * (4/5)	L, 10-49	110,319	0-1	2-2
Oct. 1		MINNESOTA *	W, 29-26 (OT)	95,332	1-1	3-2
Oct. 8		MARYLAND *	W, 38-14	100,778	2-1	4-2
Oct. 22		OHIO STATE * (2/2)	W, 24-21	107,280	3-1	5-2
Oct. 29	24/-	at Purdue *	W, 62-24	33,153	4-1	6-2
Nov. 5	20/23/12	IOWA *	W, 41-14	106,194	5-1	7-2
Nov. 12	12/14/10	at Indiana *	W, 45-31	40,678	6-1	8-2
Nov. 19	9/10/8	at Rutgers *	W, 39-0	51,366	7-1	9-2
Nov. 26	8/8/7	MICHIGAN STATE *	W, 45-12	97,418	8-1	10-2
Dec. 3	8/8/7	vs. Wisconsin <sup>5</sup> (6/5/6)	W, 38-31	65,018	8-1	11-2
Jan. 2	5/5/5	vs. USC <sup>6</sup> (9/9/9)	L, 49-52	95,128	8-1	11-3

(5) Big Ten Championship Game; Indianapolis, Ind.; (6) Rose Bowl; Pasadena, Calif.; \*Big Ten Conference game; Rankings - AP/Coaches/CFP.

TEAM STATISTICS	Penn State	Opponent
SCORING	526	356
Points Per Game	37.6	25.4
Points Off Turnovers	83	69
FIRST DOWNS	285	274
Rushing	122	109
Passing	134	140
Penalty	29	25
RUSHING YARDAGE	2406	2118
Yards gained rushing	2903	2603
Yards lost rushing	497	485
Rushing Attempts	540	551
Average Per Rush	4.5	3.8
Average Per Game	171.9	151.3
TDs Rushing	34	22
PASSING YARDAGE	3650	3033
Comp-Att-Int	226-391-8	292-472-10
Average Per Pass	9.3	6.4
Average Per Catch	16.2	10.4
Average Per Game	260.7	216.6
TDs Passing	29	18
TOTAL OFFENSE	6056	5151
Total Plays	931	1023
Average Per Play	6.5	5.0
Average Per Game	432.6	367.9
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	49-965	50-941
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	30-194	21-146
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	10-126	8-142
KICK RETURN AVERAGE	19.7	18.8
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE	6.5	7.0
INT RETURN AVERAGE	12.6	17.8
FUMBLES-LOST	22-12	22-11
PENALTIES-Yards	68-622	101-884
Average Per Game	44.4	63.1
PUNTS-Yards	64-2686	80-3215
Average Per Punt	42.0	40.2
Net punt average	37.8	36.5
KICKOFFS-Yards	101-6236	74-4372
Average Per Kick	61.7	59.1
Net kick average	41.0	39.6
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	27:44	32:16
3RD-DOWN Conversions (Pct.)	56/172 (33%)	84/219 (38%)
4TH-DOWN Conversions (Pct.)	10/20 (50%)	8/21 (38%)
SACKS BY-Yards	40-270	24-161
MISC YARDS	72	-2
TOUCHDOWNS SCORED	66	42
FIELD GOALS-ATTEMPTS	22-24	20-28
RED-ZONE SCORES	(58-67) 87%	(43-48) 90%
RED-ZONE TOUCHDOWNS	(37-67) 55%	(29-48) 60%
PAT-ATTEMPTS	(62-62) 100%	(40-41) 98%
ATTENDANCE	701800	305503

SCORE BY QUARTERS	1	2	3	4	OT	Total	Average
Penn State	68	126	160	166	6	526	37.6
Opponents	88	135	58	72	3	356	25.4

PASSING	G	Rating	C-A-I	Pct.	Yards	TD	LP	Avg./G
McCorley, Trace	14	156.92	224-387-8	57.9	3614	29	80	258.1
Stevens, Tommy	7	167.47	2-3-0	66.7	36	0	26	5.1
TEAM	9	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Penn State	14	156.60	226-391-8	57.8	3650	29	80	260.7
Opponents	14	124.19	292-472-10	61.9	3033	18	67	216.6

**Statistician's Note**  
Passing rating formula:  $[(8.4 \times \text{yards}) + (330 \times \text{touchdowns}) - (200 \times \text{interceptions}) + (100 \times \text{completions})] / \text{attempts}$ .

RUSHING	G	Att.	Yards	Avg./Att.	TD	LG	Avg./G
Barkley, Saquon	14	272	1496	5.5	18	81	106.9
McCorley, Trace	14	146	365	2.5	7	26	26.1
Stevens, Tommy	7	21	198	9.4	2	45	28.3
Sanders, Miles	13	25	184	7.4	1	57	14.2
Robinson, Andre	12	29	141	4.9	5	19	11.8
Allen, Mark	13	29	115	4.0	1	17	8.8
Godwin, Chris	14	1	13	13.0	0	13	0.9
Paye, Irvine	1	1	7	7.0	0	7	7.0
Hamilton, DaeSean	14	1	-12	-12.0	0	0	-0.9
TEAM	9	15	-101	-6.7	0	0	-11.2
Penn State	14	540	2406	4.5	34	81	171.9
Opponents	14	551	2118	3.8	22	74	151.3

RECEIVING	G	No.	Yards	Avg./Rec.	TD	LG	Avg./G
Godwin, Chris	14	59	982	16.6	11	72	70.1
Gesicki, Mike	14	48	679	14.1	5	53	48.5
Hamilton, DaeSean	14	34	506	14.9	1	54	36.1
Barkley, Saquon	14	28	402	14.4	4	44	28.7
Thompson, DeAndre	13	27	440	16.3	1	70	33.8
Blacknall, Saeed	9	15	347	23.1	3	70	38.6
Allen, Mark	13	4	24	6.0	1	27	1.8
Charles, Irvin	14	2	106	53.0	1	80	7.6
Johnson, Juwan	14	2	70	35.0	0	43	5.0
Robinson, Andre	12	2	42	21.0	1	40	3.5
Sanders, Miles	13	2	24	12.0	1	21	1.8
Polk, Brandon	3	2	18	9.0	0	14	6.0
Paye, Irvine	1	1	10	10.0	0	10	10.0
Penn State	14	226	3650	16.2	29	80	260.7
Opponents	14	292	3033	10.4	18	67	216.6

TOTAL OFFENSE	G	Plays	Rushing	Passing	Total	Avg./G
McCorley, Trace	14	533	365	3614	3979	284.2
Barkley, Saquon	14	272	1496	0	1496	106.9
Stevens, Tommy	7	24	198	36	234	33.4
Sanders, Miles	13	25	184	0	184	14.2
Robinson, Andre	12	29	141	0	141	11.8
Allen, Mark	13	29	115	0	115	8.8
Godwin, Chris	14	1	13	0	13	0.9
Paye, Irvine	1	1	7	0	7	7.0
Hamilton, DaeSean	14	1	-12	0	-12	-0.9
TEAM	9	16	-101	0	-101	-11.2
Penn State	14	931	2406	3650	6056	432.6
Opponents	14	1023	2118	3033	5151	367.9

KICKOFF RETURNS	No.	Yards	Average	TD	LG
Sanders, Miles	33	688	20.8	0	48
Scott, Nick	6	138	23.0	0	30
Barkley, Saquon	3	74	24.7	0	33
Thompson, DeAndre	1	5	5.0	0	5
Charles, Irvin	1	11	11.0	0	11
Panicoast, Tom	1	11	11.0	0	11
Buchholz, Ryan	1	0	0.0	0	0
Farmer, Koa	1	3	3.0	0	0
Polk, Brandon	1	35	35.0	0	35
Hamilton, DaeSean	1	0	0.0	0	0
Penn State	49	965	19.7	0	48
Opponents	50	941	18.8	0	84

PUNT RETURNS	No.	Yards	Average	TD	LG
Reid, John	22	166	7.5	0	59
Garrity, Gregg	4	32	8.0	0	18
Brown, Cam	1	0	0.0	0	0
Oruvariye, Amani	1	-26	-26.0	0	0
Johnson, Juwan	1	20	20.0	0	0
Thompson, DeAndre	1	2	2.0	0	2
Penn State	30	194	6.5	0	59
Opponents	21	146	7.0	0	53

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ALL-PURPOSE YARDAGE	G	Rushing	Receiving	Punt Returns	KO Returns	Int. Returns	Total	Avg./G
Barkley, Saquon	14	1496	402	0	74	0	1972	140.9
Godwin, Chris	14	13	982	0	0	0	995	71.1
Sanders, Miles	13	184	24	0	688	0	896	68.9
Gesicki, Mike	14	0	679	0	0	0	679	48.5
Hamilton, DaeSean	14	-12	506	0	0	0	494	35.3
Thompkins, DeAndre	13	0	440	2	5	0	447	34.4
McSorley, Trace	14	365	0	0	0	0	365	26.1
Blacknall, Saeed	9	0	347	0	0	0	347	38.6
Stevens, Tommy	7	198	0	0	0	0	198	28.3
Robinson, Andre	12	141	42	0	0	0	183	15.2
Reid, John	14	0	0	166	0	14	180	12.9
Allen, Mark	13	115	24	0	0	0	139	10.7
Scott, Nick	13	0	0	0	138	0	138	10.6
Charles, Irvin	14	0	106	0	11	0	117	8.4
Johnson, Juwan	14	0	70	20	0	0	90	6.4
Polk, Brandon	3	0	18	0	35	0	53	17.7
Garrity, Gregg	9	0	0	32	0	0	32	3.6
Bell, Brandon	10	0	0	0	0	24	24	2.4
Smith, Brandon	14	0	0	0	0	22	22	1.6
Campbell, Christian	13	0	0	0	0	18	18	1.4
Paye, Irvine	1	7	10	0	0	0	17	17.0
Pancoast, Tom	14	0	0	0	11	0	11	0.8
Apke, Troy	14	0	0	0	0	10	10	0.7
Golden, Malik	13	0	0	0	0	8	8	0.6
Oruwariye, Amani	11	0	0	-26	0	30	4	0.4
Farmer, Koa	14	0	0	0	3	0	3	0.2
TEAM	9	-101	0	0	0	0	-101	-11.2
Penn State	14	2406	3650	194	965	126	7341	524.4
Opponents	14	2118	3033	146	941	142	6380	455.7

### ..... Points After Touchdown .....

SCORING	TD	FG	Kick	Rush	Rec.	Pass	DXP	Saf	Points
Barkley, Saquon	22	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	132
Davis, Tyler	0	22-24	62-62	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	128
Godwin, Chris	11	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	66
McSorley, Trace	7	0-0	0-0	0-1	0	1-1	0	0	42
Robinson, Andre	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	36
Gesicki, Mike	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	30
Blacknall, Saeed	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	18
Stevens, Tommy	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
Allen, Mark	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
Sanders, Miles	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	12
Hamilton, DaeSean	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0-0	0	0	8
Brown, Torrence	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Haley, Grant	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Thompkins, DeAndre	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Oruwariye, Amani	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Charles, Irvin	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-0	0	0	6
Fessler, Billy	0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0-1	0	0	0
Penn State	66	22-24	62-62	0-1	1	1-2	0	0	526
Opponents	42	20-28	40-41	0-0	1	1-1	0	1	356

PUNTING	No.	Yards	Average	LG	TB	FC	I-20	50+	Blk.
Gillikin, Blake	61	2611	42.8	69	6	18	22	13	0
Pasquariello, Daniel	2	75	37.5	38	0	1	2	0	0
TEAM	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	1
PENN STATE	64	2686	42.0	69	6	19	24	13	1
Opponents	80	3215	40.2	61	5	30	16	8	2

FIELD GOALS	FG	Pct.	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	LG	Blk.
Davis, Tyler	22-24	91.7	1-1	6-6	12-14	3-3	0-0	40	2

KICKOFFS	No.	Yards	Average	TB	OB
Julius, Joey	93	5775	62.1	45	4
Davis, Tyler	8	461	57.6	1	1
Penn State	101	6236	61.7	46	5
Opponents	74	4372	59.1	19	3

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INTERCEPTIONS	No.	Yards	Average	TD	LG	FUMBLE RETURNS	No.	Yards	Average	TD	LG
Smith, Brandon	2	22	11.0	0	22	Allen, Marcus	1	6	6.0	0	6
Bell, Brandon	2	24	12.0	0	24	Reid, John	1	4	4.0	0	4
Golden, Malik	1	8	8.0	0	8	Brown, Torrence	1	9	9.0	1	9
Reid, John	1	14	14.0	0	14	Haley, Grant	0	0	0.0	1	0
Campbell, Christian	1	18	18.0	0	18	Penn State	3	19	6.3	2	9
Oruwariye, Amani	1	30	30.0	1	30	Opponents	4	50	12.5	2	20
Apke, Troy	1	10	10.0	0	10						
Smith, Jordan	1	0	0.0	0	0						
Penn State	10	126	12.6	1	30						
Opponents	8	142	17.8	0	34						

DEFENSE	G-GS	Solo	Assist	Total	TFL-Yards	Sacks-Yards	Int.-Yards	PBU	QBH	FR-Yards	FF
Allen, Marcus	14-14	57	53	110	6.0-15	0	0	3	0	2-6	1
Bell, Brandon	10-10	40	48	88	7.5-39	4.0-33	2-24	3	1	0	3
Gabinda, Jason	9-9	36	45	81	4.0-20	1.0-13	0	3	1	0	0
Golden, Malik	13-13	48	27	75	6.0-15	0	1-8	3	0	1-0	1
Bowen, Manny	13-12	35	33	68	8.5-30	2.0-16	0	2	3	0	0
Smith, Brandon	14-2	21	33	54	4.0-7	0.5-2	2-22	3	0	0	0
Sickels, Garrett	14-12	23	24	47	12.5-59	6.0-42	0	0	4	0	0
Haley, Grant	12-11	23	16	39	1.5-4	0	0	4	0	0	0
Reid, John	14-14	23	13	36	5.0-19	0.5-3	1-14	9	0	1-4	0
Brown, Cam	13-2	14	19	33	1.5-2	0.5-1	0	0	0	0	0
Brown, Torrence	14-4	16	17	33	6.0-18	0.5-4	0	0	0	2-9	3
Schwan, Evan	13-12	16	16	32	8.5-47	6.0-43	0	2	2	0	1
Campbell, Christian	13-3	17	14	31	1.0-4	0	1-18	6	0	1-0	0
Farmer, Koa	14-2	14	15	29	4.5-16	3.0-13	0	1	1	0	1
Apke, Troy	14-1	11	17	28	0	0	1-10	0	0	1-0	0
Cothren, Parker	13-13	9	17	26	5.5-13	2.0-6	0	0	0	0	0
Givens, Kevin	14-6	12	14	26	7.0-33	4.5-28	0	1	0	2-0	0
Windsor, Robert	14-1	9	14	23	1.5-6	1.0-6	0	0	1	0	0
Oruwariye, Amani	11-0	13	10	23	0	0	1-30	1	0	0	0
Miller, Shareef	14-0	13	9	22	5.5-27	2.0-18	0	0	1	0	1
Cothran, Curtis	10-8	11	10	21	4.5-15	0.5-5	0	0	0	0	0
Smith, Jordan	13-0	12	7	19	1.0-5	0	1-0	4	0	1-0	0
White, Antoine	14-0	6	11	17	1.5-10	1.5-10	0	0	1	0	0
Buchholz, Ryan	13-0	10	6	16	4.5-26	3.0-20	0	0	1	0	0
Cooper, Jake	6-2	4	11	15	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Wartman-White, Nyeem	3-3	8	6	14	3.5-8	0.5-4	0	2	0	0	0
Chavis, Tyrell	14-0	2	11	13	1.0-2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Monroe, Ayron	10-0	3	9	12	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Johnson, Juwan	14-1	7	2	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Scott, Nick	13-0	3	5	8	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Walker, Von	11-0	6	1	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Charles, Irvin	14-0	5	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Miller, Jarvis	14-0	2	3	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Julius, Joey	13-0	2	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Taylor, Garrett	12-0	1	1	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Johnson, Jan	1-0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Castagna, Colin	7-0	1	1	2	1.0-2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Thompson, DeAndre	13-7	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dowrey, Derek	14-6	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gillikin, Blake	14-0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bentley, Gordon	8-0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bates, Ryan	14-14	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hamilton, DeAndre	14-13	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wright, Chasz	14-5	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
McPhearson, Josh	6-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Penn State	14-0	542	542	1084	113-442	40-270	10-126	50	17	11-19	11
Opponents	14-0	537	354	891	89.0-380	24-161	8-142	41	23	12-50	11

## SCORING SUMMARY

Plays	Yds	Time	Result	Qtr.	Scoring Play	Plays	Yds	Time	Result	Qtr.	Scoring Play						
<b>KENT STATE (6)</b>																	
9	79	3:23	TD	1	Hamilton 4-yard pass from McSorley (2-pt attempt failed)	6	52	2:17	TD	1	Blacknall 19-yard pass from McSorley (Davis, T. kick)						
2	13	0:41	TD	2	Barkley 7-yard run (Davis, T. kick)	6	80	3:07	TD	2	Barkley 57-yard run (Davis, T. kick)						
12	49	4:18	FG	2	Davis, T. 29-yard field goal	4	62	1:21	TD	2	McSorley 1-yard run (Davis, T. kick)						
-	-	-	TD	3	Oruwariye 30-yard interception return (Davis, T. kick)	10	63	4:13	FG	2	Davis, T. 30-yard field goal						
8	49	2:39	FG	3	Davis, T. 28-yard field goal	11	31	4:20	FG	3	Davis, T. 37-yard field goal						
8	67	2:38	TD	4	Gesicki 30-yard pass from McSorley (Davis, T. kick)	1	44	0:08	TD	4	Barkley 44-yard pass from McSorley (Davis, T. kick)						
						6	58	3:26	TD	4	Stevens 13-yard run (Davis, T. kick)						
<b>PITT (6)</b>																	
1	15	0:09	TD	1	Barkley 3-yard run (Davis, T. kick)	<b>INDIANA (7)</b>											
8	83	2:35	TD	2	Barkley 1-yard run (Davis, T. kick)	7	60	3:32	TD	1	McSorley 10-yard run (Davis, T. kick)						
2	46	0:39	TD	3	Barkley 40-yard pass from McSorley (Davis, T. kick)	1	6	0:06	TD	2	Godwin 6-yard pass from McSorley (Davis, T. kick)						
7	68	2:04	TD	4	Barkley 1-yard run (Davis, T. kick)	4	70	2:04	TD	3	Godwin 21-yard pass from McSorley (Davis, T. kick)						
4	-9	1:31	FG	4	Davis, T. 38-yards field goal	5	74	2:06	TD	4	Barkley 4-yard run (Davis, T. kick)						
6	60	1:30	TD	4	Barkley 2-yard run (Hamilton pass from McSorley)	7	57	2:53	TD	4	Barkley 2-yard run (Davis, T. kick)						
						4	0	1:42	FG	4	Davis, T. 39-yard field goal						
						-	-	-	TD	4	Brown 9-yard fumble recovery (Davis, T. kick)						
<b>TEMPLE (6)</b>																	
2	55	0:42	TD	1	Godwin 52-yard pass from McSorley (Davis, T. kick)	<b>RUTGERS (8)</b>											
13	69	5:57	TD	1	Robinson 3-yard run (Davis, T. kick)	11	46	4:14	FG	1	Davis, T. 32-yard field goal						
9	53	3:14	TD	2	McSorley 2-yard run (Davis, T. kick)	11	64	2:27	FG	1	Davis, T. 34-yard field goal						
6	48	3:50	FG	3	Davis, T. 40-yard field goal	7	6	1:41	FG	2	Davis, T. 40-yard field goal						
7	71	4:05	FG	4	Davis, T. 30-yard field goal	3	10	1:20	TD	3	Barkley 1-yard run (Davis, T. kick)						
2	75	0:50	TD	4	Barkley 55-yard run (Davis, T. kick)	8	41	3:54	FG	3	Davis, T. 32-yard field goal						
						6	63	2:01	TD	3	Robinson 2-yard run (Fessler, Billy pass failed)						
						12	95	5:54	TD	4	Allen, Mark 27-yard pass from McSorley (Davis, T. kick)						
						4	74	2:03	TD	4	Stevens 12-yard run (Davis, T. kick)						
<b>MICHIGAN (2)</b>																	
8	71	2:01	FG	3	Davis, T. 21-yard field goal	<b>MICHIGAN STATE (7)</b>											
13	75	6:20	TD	4	Godwin 8-yard pass from McSorley (Davis, T. kick)	10	60	4:24	FG	2	Davis, T. 35-yard field goal						
						10	78	4:57	TD	2	Barkley 1-yard run (Davis, T. kick)						
<b>MINNESOTA (6)</b>																	
7	73	3:49	FG	2	Davis, T. 19-yard field goal	5	52	2:11	TD	3	Godwin 34-yard pass from McSorley (Davis, T. kick)						
3	80	0:52	TD	3	Charles 80-yard pass from McSorley (Davis, T. kick)	5	69	1:51	TD	3	Gesicki 45-yard pass from McSorley (Davis, T. kick)						
5	33	0:57	FG	3	Davis, T. 27-yard field goal	2	62	0:49	TD	3	Godwin 59-yard pass from McSorley (Davis, T. kick)						
6	85	2:06	TD	3	McSorley 6-yard run (Davis, T. kick)	4	42	1:49	TD	4	Robinson 14-yard run (Davis, T. kick)						
8	53	0:52	FG	4	Davis, T. 40-yard field goal	4	83	0:46	TD	4	Robinson 40-yard pass from McSorley (Davis, T. kick)						
1	25	---	TD	OT	Barkley 25-yard run												
<b>MARYLAND (6)</b>																	
7	84	2:27	TD	1	Gesicki 5-yard pass from McSorley (Davis, T. kick)	<b>WISCONSIN (6)</b>											
12	42	4:46	FG	2	Davis, T. 30-yard field goal	5	75	1:56	TD	1	Gesicki 33-yard pass from McSorley (Davis, T. kick)						
10	67	4:18	TD	2	McSorley 9-yard run (Davis, T. kick)	8	90	1:27	TD	2	Blacknall 40-yard pass from McSorley (Davis, T. kick)						
3	70	0:26	TD	2	Barkley 45-yard run (Davis, T. kick)	1	70	0:11	TD	3	Blacknall 70-yard pass from McSorley (Davis, T. kick)						
2	70	0:42	TD	3	Thompson 70-yard pass from McSorley (Davis, T. kick)	8	63	3:17	TD	3	Barkley 1-yard run (Davis, T. kick)						
5	51	2:25	TD	4	Sanders 25-yard run (Davis, T. kick)	4	81	1:30	TD	4	Barkley 18-yard pass from McSorley (Davis, T. kick)						
						9	58	4:38	FG	4	Davis, T. 24-yard field goal						
<b>OHIO STATE (4)</b>																	
7	74	1:00	TD	2	Godwin 20-yard pass from McSorley (Davis, T. kick)	<b>USC (7)</b>											
5	90	1:20	FG	4	McSorley 2-yard run (Davis, T. kick)	9	70	3:37	TD	2	Barkley 24-yard run (Davis, T. kick)						
6	12	2:09	FG	4	Davis, T. 34-yard field goal	4	71	1:31	TD	2	Godwin 30-yard pass from McSorley (Davis, T. kick)						
-	-	-	TD	4	Haley 60-yard blocked FG return (Davis, T. kick)	13	75	5:22	TD	2	Gesicki 11-yard pass from McSorley (Davis, T. kick)						
						1	79	0:17	TD	3	Barkley 79-yard run (Davis, T. kick)						
						1	72	0:11	TD	3	Godwin 72-yard pass from McSorley (Davis, T. kick)						
						1	3	0:05	TD	3	McSorley 3-yard run (Davis, T. kick)						
						8	82	4:46	TD	3	Barkley 7-yard pass from McSorley (Davis, T. kick)						
<b>PURDUE (10)</b>																	
8	85	3:27	TD	1	Barkley 3-yard run (Davis, T. kick)												
5	82	1:09	TD	2	Godwin 38-yard pass from McSorley (Davis, T. kick)												
11	72	4:21	TD	2	Davis, T. 33-yard field goal												
4	24	1:18	TD	3	Godwin 1-yard pass from McSorley (Davis, T. kick)												
2	24	0:39	TD	3	Robinson 4-yard run (Davis, T. kick)												
6	61	1:42	FG	3	Davis, T. 29-yard field goal												
3	40	1:14	TD	3	Sanders 21-yard pass from McSorley (Davis, T. kick)												
1	81	0:13	TD	4	Barkley 81-yard run (Davis, T. kick)												
7	58	3:07	TD	4	Allen, Mark 1-yard run (Davis, T. kick)												
4	28	2:16	TD	4	Robinson 19-yard run (Davis, T. kick)												

# 2016 SEASON IN REVIEW

## PENN STATE GAME-BY-GAME

	KSU	at PIT	TEM	at MICH	MINN	UMD	OSU	at PUR	IOWA	at IND	at RU	MSU	WIS	USC
<b>First Downs</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>23</b>
Rushing	9	6	8	3	7	21	6	11	15	5	16	4	3	8
Passing	9	12	8	6	8	5	6	10	9	11	8	14	16	12
Penalty	1	2	5	3	4	2	1	3	0	2	1	0	2	3
<b>Net Yards Rushing</b>	<b>145</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>372</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>257</b>	<b>359</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>339</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>211</b>
Rushing Attempts	38	31	37	28	28	62	37	38	52	45	49	33	29	33
Average Per Rush	3.8	2.4	3.1	2.5	4.9	6.0	3.3	6.8	6.9	1.7	6.9	2.3	1.8	6.4
Rushing Touchdowns	1	4	3	0	2	3	1	5	3	3	3	2	1	3
Yards Gained	176	114	173	108	162	415	186	291	371	137	340	106	102	222
Yards Lost	31	40	57	38	26	43	64	34	12	60	1	29	51	11
<b>Net Yards Passing</b>	<b>209</b>	<b>332</b>	<b>287</b>	<b>121</b>	<b>335</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>154</b>	<b>254</b>	<b>240</b>	<b>332</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>386</b>	<b>384</b>	<b>254</b>
Completions	16	24	18	16	19	10	8	13	11	16	17	18	22	18
Attempts	31	35	24	27	42	19	23	25	18	30	33	24	31	29
Interceptions	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	3
Yards Per Attempt	6.7	9.5	12.0	4.5	8.0	8.0	6.7	10.2	13.3	11.1	6.4	16.1	12.4	8.8
Yards Per Completion	13.1	13.8	15.9	7.6	17.6	15.2	19.2	19.5	21.8	20.8	12.4	21.4	17.5	14.1
Passing Touchdowns	2	1	1	1	1	2	1	3	2	2	1	4	4	4
<b>Total Offensive Yards</b>	<b>354</b>	<b>406</b>	<b>403</b>	<b>191</b>	<b>471</b>	<b>524</b>	<b>276</b>	<b>511</b>	<b>599</b>	<b>409</b>	<b>549</b>	<b>463</b>	<b>435</b>	<b>465</b>
Plays	69	66	61	55	70	81	60	63	70	75	82	57	60	62
Yards Per Play	5.1	6.2	6.6	3.5	6.7	6.5	4.6	8.1	8.6	5.5	6.7	8.1	7.2	7.5
<b>Fumbles-Lost</b>	<b>2-1</b>	<b>5-3</b>	<b>5-2</b>	<b>1-1</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>2-1</b>	<b>2-1</b>	<b>1-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>1-1</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>2-2</b>	<b>1-0</b>
<b>Penalties-Yards</b>	<b>5-55</b>	<b>4-35</b>	<b>7-62</b>	<b>2-13</b>	<b>5-65</b>	<b>7-50</b>	<b>1-5</b>	<b>11-91</b>	<b>9-86</b>	<b>5-40</b>	<b>3-15</b>	<b>1-15</b>	<b>3-25</b>	<b>5-65</b>
<b>Punts-Yards</b>	<b>6-282</b>	<b>5-233</b>	<b>3-105</b>	<b>6-270</b>	<b>6-235</b>	<b>6-177</b>	<b>7-264</b>	<b>3-124</b>	<b>2-81</b>	<b>6-233</b>	<b>3-143</b>	<b>4-187</b>	<b>2-98</b>	<b>5-254</b>
Yards Per Punt	47.0	46.6	35.0	45.0	39.2	29.5	37.7	41.3	40.5	38.8	47.7	46.8	49.0	50.8
Net Yards Per Punt	43.3	42.4	28.3	36.0	33.7	25.3	38.3	34.0	40.5	35.5	43.0	46.8	49.0	43.0
Inside 20	2	3	2	1	1	4	3	0	2	1	1	2	1	1
50+ Yard Kicks	1	2	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	1	3
Touchbacks	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Fair Catch	1	1	1	2	1	1	4	0	1	4	1	1	1	0
<b>Kickoffs-Yards</b>	<b>7-453</b>	<b>7-424</b>	<b>7-451</b>	<b>3-159</b>	<b>6-372</b>	<b>7-428</b>	<b>6-356</b>	<b>11-705</b>	<b>7-450</b>	<b>8-491</b>	<b>9-523</b>	<b>8-513</b>	<b>7-450</b>	<b>8-461</b>
Yards Per Kickoff	64.7	60.6	64.4	53.0	62.0	61.1	59.3	64.1	64.3	61.4	58.1	64.1	64.3	57.6
Net Yards Per Kickoff	40.1	32.3	43.0	44.0	40.8	42.0	41.8	43.9	42.4	42.4	36.2	45.0	41.1	40.2
Touchbacks	6	4	6	0	3	2	1	5	3	3	4	4	4	1
<b>Punt Returns</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>
Yards	22	61	6	0	2	8	15	0	2	35	20	0	5	18
Touchdowns	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Yards Per PR	5.5	15.2	1.0	0.0	1.0	8.0	3.0	0.0	2.0	8.8	20.0	0.0	5.0	18.0
<b>Kickoff Returns</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>
Yards	88	110	83	67	26	50	89	27	77	79	12	63	83	111
Touchdowns	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Yards Per KR	22.0	22.0	20.8	22.3	13.0	16.7	22.2	9.0	25.7	15.8	12.0	21.0	20.8	22.2
<b>Interceptions</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>
Yards	30	8	14	0	0	0	0	40	10	0	0	0	0	24
Touchdowns	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Fumble Recoveries</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
Returns-Yards	1-6	1-4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-9	-	-	-	-
Touchdowns	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
<b>Miscellaneous Yards</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Possession Times</b>	<b>27:04</b>	<b>24:31</b>	<b>28:33</b>	<b>24:11</b>	<b>23:11</b>	<b>35:00</b>	<b>22:52</b>	<b>25:13</b>	<b>35:03</b>	<b>33:39</b>	<b>33:42</b>	<b>25:36</b>	<b>23:03</b>	<b>26:39</b>
1st Quarter	6:34	4:57	10:05	6:30	6:58	9:08	7:45	4:57	8:27	9:06	8:21	6:08	5:05	4:26
2nd Quarter	8:05	6:21	7:29	4:04	6:07	10:02	5:32	7:23	8:46	8:58	6:31	7:02	7:16	10:14
3rd Quarter	5:47	4:31	5:56	6:16	5:10	8:12	4:53	5:46	7:46	5:48	8:34	4:51	3:44	5:25
4th Quarter	6:38	8:42	5:03	7:21	4:56	7:38	4:42	7:07	10:04	9:47	10:16	7:35	6:58	6:34
<b>3rd-Down Conversions</b>	<b>5-of-14</b>	<b>2-of-10</b>	<b>2-of-9</b>	<b>2-of-12</b>	<b>4-of-15</b>	<b>5-of-13</b>	<b>2-of-13</b>	<b>2-of-9</b>	<b>7-of-14</b>	<b>4-of-14</b>	<b>10-of-19</b>	<b>4-of-10</b>	<b>3-of-10</b>	<b>4-of-10</b>
<b>4th-Down Conversions</b>	<b>0-of-1</b>	<b>1-of-1</b>	<b>2-of-2</b>	<b>2-of-3</b>	<b>1-of-2</b>	<b>1-of-1</b>	<b>0-of-1</b>	<b>1-of-1</b>	<b>1-of-1</b>	<b>0-of-2</b>	<b>1-of-2</b>	<b>0-of-0</b>	<b>0-of-3</b>	<b>0-of-0</b>
<b>Red Zone Scoring</b>	<b>4-5</b>	<b>5-5</b>	<b>4-6</b>	<b>2-2</b>	<b>3-3</b>	<b>3-4</b>	<b>3-4</b>	<b>8-8</b>	<b>5-7</b>	<b>5-5</b>	<b>7-8</b>	<b>3-4</b>	<b>3-3</b>	<b>3-3</b>
Touchdowns	2-5	4-5	2-6	1-2	1-3	2-4	2-4	6-8	3-7	4-5	3-8	2-4	2-3	3-3
Field Goals	2-5	1-5	2-6	1-2	2-3	1-4	1-4	2-8	2-7	1-5	4-8	1-4	1-3	0-3
<b>Sacks By-Yards</b>	<b>7-54</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>3-19</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>2-8</b>	<b>4-27</b>	<b>6-38</b>	<b>1-6</b>	<b>4-22</b>	<b>3-37</b>	<b>3-15</b>	<b>4-29</b>	<b>2-12</b>	<b>1-3</b>
<b>PAT Kicks</b>	<b>3-3</b>	<b>4-4</b>	<b>4-4</b>	<b>1-1</b>	<b>2-2</b>	<b>5-5</b>	<b>3-3</b>	<b>8-8</b>	<b>5-5</b>	<b>6-6</b>	<b>3-3</b>	<b>6-6</b>	<b>5-5</b>	<b>7-7</b>
<b>Field Goals</b>	<b>2-2</b>	<b>1-1</b>	<b>2-2</b>	<b>1-1</b>	<b>3-3</b>	<b>1-1</b>	<b>1-2</b>	<b>2-2</b>	<b>2-3</b>	<b>1-1</b>	<b>4-4</b>	<b>1-1</b>	<b>1-1</b>	<b>0-0</b>
<b>Total Points</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>49</b>
Touchdowns Rushing	1	4	3	0	2	3	1	5	3	3	3	2	1	3
Touchdowns Passing	2	1	1	1	1	2	1	3	2	2	1	4	4	4
Touchdown Returns	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other Touchdowns	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Safeties	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kick PAT-Attempts	3-3	4-4	4-4	1-1	2-2	5-5	3-3	8-8	5-5	6-6	3-3	6-6	5-5	7-7
2pt PAT-Attempts	0-1	1-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
Field Goals-Attempts	2-2	1-1	2-2	1-1	3-3	1-1	1-2	2-2	2-3	1-1	4-4	1-1	1-1	0-0
<b>Points Off Turnovers</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>

## OPPONENT GAME-BY-GAME

	KSU	at PIT	TEM	at MICH	MINN	UMD	OSU	at PUR	IOWA	at IND	at RU	MSU	WIS	USC
<b>First Downs</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>33</b>
Rushing	8	13	2	14	13	8	9	4	2	5	3	11	11	6
Passing	6	6	9	10	14	3	9	12	8	15	2	14	9	23
Penalty	2	0	2	1	4	0	1	4	4	0	0	1	2	4
<b>Net Yards Rushing</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>341</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>326</b>	<b>228</b>	<b>170</b>	<b>168</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>241</b>	<b>122</b>
Rushing Attempts	41	56	28	49	48	38	40	26	26	41	33	42	49	34
Average Per Rush	3.7	6.1	1.4	6.7	4.8	4.5	4.2	1.8	1.2	2.7	1.2	2.6	4.9	3.6
Rushing Touchdowns	0	3	3	6	1	1	1	1	0	2	0	0	3	1
Yards Gained	219	359	70	340	247	212	220	82	56	164	84	151	271	128
Yards Lost	69	18	32	14	19	42	52	36	26	54	45	42	30	6
<b>Net Yards Passing</b>	<b>129</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>286</b>	<b>189</b>	<b>241</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>245</b>	<b>295</b>	<b>204</b>	<b>344</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>234</b>	<b>174</b>	<b>453</b>
Completions	14	11	25	21	24	10	28	36	18	24	7	25	16	33
Attempts	28	15	34	35	41	16	43	55	26	41	17	46	21	54
Interceptions	2	1	1	0	1	1	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	1
Yards Per Attempt	4.6	6.1	8.4	5.4	5.9	6.2	5.7	5.4	7.8	8.4	2.8	5.1	8.3	8.4
Yards Per Completion	9.2	8.3	11.4	9.0	10.0	10.0	8.8	8.2	11.3	14.3	6.9	9.4	10.9	13.7
Passing Touchdowns	0	3	0	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	0	0	0	5
<b>Total Offensive Yards</b>	<b>279</b>	<b>432</b>	<b>324</b>	<b>515</b>	<b>469</b>	<b>270</b>	<b>413</b>	<b>341</b>	<b>234</b>	<b>454</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>343</b>	<b>415</b>	<b>575</b>
Plays	69	71	62	84	89	54	83	81	52	82	50	88	70	88
Yards Per Play	4.0	6.1	5.2	6.1	5.3	5.0	5.0	4.2	4.5	5.5	1.7	3.9	5.9	6.5
<b>Fumbles-Lost</b>	<b>2-1</b>	<b>2-1</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>1-1</b>	<b>2-0</b>	<b>3-2</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>5-5</b>	<b>3-0</b>	<b>1-1</b>	<b>2-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>
<b>Penalties-Yards</b>	<b>6-47</b>	<b>10-79</b>	<b>13-118</b>	<b>7-80</b>	<b>8-83</b>	<b>5-54</b>	<b>8-45</b>	<b>8-76</b>	<b>4-24</b>	<b>8-80</b>	<b>6-50</b>	<b>4-23</b>	<b>4-40</b>	<b>10-85</b>
<b>Punts-Yards</b>	<b>6-246</b>	<b>5-213</b>	<b>6-225</b>	<b>1-44</b>	<b>6-239</b>	<b>7-279</b>	<b>8-318</b>	<b>5-234</b>	<b>6-241</b>	<b>5-218</b>	<b>12-410</b>	<b>5-232</b>	<b>4-139</b>	<b>4-177</b>
Yards Per Punt	41.0	42.6	37.5	44.0	39.8	39.9	39.8	46.8	40.2	43.6	34.2	46.4	34.8	44.2
Net Yards Per Punt	37.3	30.4	36.5	44.0	32.8	38.7	37.9	42.8	39.8	36.6	30.8	42.4	33.5	39.8
Inside 20	0	1	1	0	3	0	3	0	1	1	3	1	2	0
50+ Yard Kicks	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	2	0	0	1	1	0	1
Touchbacks	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0
Fair Catch	1	0	0	1	1	6	2	3	2	0	6	3	2	3
<b>Kickoffs-Yards</b>	<b>4-242</b>	<b>7-430</b>	<b>6-295</b>	<b>8-518</b>	<b>6-351</b>	<b>3-177</b>	<b>5-300</b>	<b>5-226</b>	<b>3-194</b>	<b>6-344</b>	<b>1-58</b>	<b>5-288</b>	<b>6-386</b>	<b>9-563</b>
Yards Per Kickoff	60.5	61.4	49.2	64.8	58.5	59.0	60.0	45.2	64.7	57.3	58.0	57.6	64.3	62.6
Net Yards Per Kickoff	38.5	38.6	31.2	40.8	41.7	42.3	37.2	39.8	39.0	40.0	46.0	40.0	42.2	41.9
Touchbacks	0	2	1	5	3	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	2	3
<b>Punt Returns</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>
Yards	2	1	0	54	13	25	-4	22	0	0	14	0	0	19
Touchdowns	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Yards Per PR	1.0	1.0	0.0	27.0	13.0	6.2	-2.0	11.0	0.0	0.0	7.0	0.0	0.0	6.3
<b>Kickoff Returns</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>6</b>
Yards	22	98	0	27	52	84	80	97	78	77	97	53	62	114
Touchdowns	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Yards Per KR	22.0	32.7	0.0	9.0	17.3	16.8	16.0	19.4	19.5	19.2	19.4	17.7	20.7	19.0
<b>Interceptions</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>
Yards	0	0	17	22	0	0	0	0	0	50	0	0	0	53
Touchdowns	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Fumble Recoveries</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>
Returns-Yards	1-20	1-9	-	1-9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1-12	-
Touchdowns	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
<b>Miscellaneous Yards</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>-2</b>	<b>0</b>						
<b>Possession Times</b>	<b>32:56</b>	<b>35:29</b>	<b>31:27</b>	<b>35:49</b>	<b>36:49</b>	<b>25:00</b>	<b>37:08</b>	<b>34:47</b>	<b>24:57</b>	<b>26:21</b>	<b>26:18</b>	<b>34:24</b>	<b>36:57</b>	<b>33:21</b>
1st Quarter	8:26	10:03	4:55	8:30	8:02	5:52	7:15	10:03	6:33	5:54	6:39	8:53	9:55	10:34
2nd Quarter	6:55	8:39	7:31	10:56	8:53	4:58	9:28	7:37	6:14	6:02	8:29	7:58	7:44	4:46
3rd Quarter	9:13	10:29	9:04	8:44	9:50	6:48	10:07	9:14	7:14	9:12	6:26	10:09	11:16	9:35
4th Quarter	8:22	6:18	9:57	7:39	10:04	7:22	10:18	7:53	4:56	5:13	4:44	7:25	8:02	8:26
<b>3rd-Down Conversions</b>	<b>5-of-17</b>	<b>4-of-12</b>	<b>3-of-13</b>	<b>11-of-16</b>	<b>6-of-17</b>	<b>4-of-13</b>	<b>9-of-22</b>	<b>9-of-21</b>	<b>2-of-10</b>	<b>8-of-17</b>	<b>1-of-14</b>	<b>9-of-20</b>	<b>5-of-12</b>	<b>8-of-15</b>
<b>4th-Down Conversions</b>	<b>0-of-1</b>	<b>0-of-0</b>	<b>2-of-3</b>	<b>2-of-4</b>	<b>1-of-1</b>	<b>0-of-2</b>	<b>1-of-2</b>	<b>1-of-1</b>	<b>1-of-2</b>	<b>0-of-2</b>	<b>0-of-0</b>	<b>0-of-2</b>	<b>0-of-1</b>	<b>0-of-0</b>
<b>Red Zone Scoring</b>	<b>2-3</b>	<b>6-6</b>	<b>4-4</b>	<b>6-6</b>	<b>4-5</b>	<b>1-2</b>	<b>2-2</b>	<b>2-2</b>	<b>1-1</b>	<b>3-4</b>	<b>0-1</b>	<b>4-4</b>	<b>3-3</b>	<b>5-5</b>
Touchdowns	0-3	6-6	3-4	6-6	1-5	1-2	0-2	2-2	1-1	3-4	0-1	0-4	2-3	4-5
Field Goals	2-3	0-6	1-4	0-6	3-5	0-2	2-2	0-2	0-1	0-4	0-1	4-4	1-3	1-5
<b>Sacks By-Yards</b>	<b>1-11</b>	<b>4-33</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>6-27</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>3-30</b>	<b>1-1</b>	<b>1-10</b>	<b>1-7</b>	<b>3-23</b>	<b>1-1</b>	<b>1-8</b>	<b>1-7</b>	<b>1-3</b>
<b>PAT Kicks</b>	<b>1-1</b>	<b>6-6</b>	<b>3-3</b>	<b>7-7</b>	<b>2-2</b>	<b>2-2</b>	<b>1-2</b>	<b>3-3</b>	<b>2-2</b>	<b>4-4</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>4-4</b>	<b>5-5</b>
<b>Field Goals</b>	<b>2-3</b>	<b>0-1</b>	<b>2-2</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>4-4</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>2-3</b>	<b>1-2</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>1-1</b>	<b>0-1</b>	<b>4-4</b>	<b>1-2</b>	<b>3-5</b>
<b>Total Points</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>52</b>
Touchdowns Rushing	0	3	3	6	1	1	1	1	0	2	0	0	3	1
Touchdowns Passing	0	3	0	1	1	1	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	5
Touchdown Returns	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other Touchdowns	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Safeties	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kick PAT-Attempts	1-1	6-6	3-3	7-7	2-2	2-2	1-2	3-3	2-2	4-4	0-0	0-0	4-4	5-5
2pt PAT-Attempts	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
Field Goals-Attempts	2-3	0-1	2-2	0-0	4-4	0-0	2-3	1-2	0-0	0-0	0-1	4-4	1-2	3-5
Points Off Turnovers	7	14	14	7	0	0	3	0	0	7	0	0	7	10

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## INDIVIDUAL GAME-BY-GAME

### RUSHING

(ATT-YDS-TD)	KSU	at Pitt	TEM	at MICH	MINN	UMD	OSU	at PUR	IOWA	at IND	at RU	MSU	WIS	USC
Allen, Mark	---	1-2-0	6-17-0	1-0-0	---	7-31-0	DNP	1-1-1	5-30-0	---	5-26-0	2-8-0	---	1-0-0
Barkley, Saquon	22-105-1	20-85-4	9-68-1	15-59-0	20-63-1	31-202-1	12-99-0	18-207-2	20-167-1	33-58-2	16-92-1	12-14-1	19-83-1	25-194-2
Godwin, Chris	---	---	---	---	---	---	1-13-0	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Hamilton, DaeSean	---	---	1-(-12)-0	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
McSorley, Trace	14-47-0	9-(-17)-0	9-8-1	9-(-6)-0	8-73-1	18-81-1	19-63-1	5-2-0	14-40-1	8-13-1	11-55-0	10-13-0	6-(-20)-0	6-13-1
Paye, Irvine	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-7-0	DNP	DNP	
Robinson, Andre	1-(-)2-0	1-4-0	6-24-1	1-3-0	---	DNP	DNP	2-23-2	3-18-0	2-8-0	6-20-1	3-32-1	3-7-0	1-4-0
Sanders, Miles	---	---	3-27-0	2-14-0	DNP	1-25-1	1-(-10)-0	3-6-0	5-34-0	1-(-2)-0	5-85-0	4-5-0	---	---
Stevens, Tommy	---	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	4-36-0	DNP	5-31-0	5-70-1	1-0-0	6-61-1	---	DNP	DNP
TEAM	1-(-5)-0	---	3-(-16)-0	---	---	1-(-3)-0	4-(-43)-0	4-(-13)-0	---	---	---	1-(-2)-0	1-(-19)-0	---

### RECEIVING

(REC-YDS-TD)	KSU	at Pitt	TEM	at MICH	MINN	UMD	OSU	at PUR	IOWA	at IND	at RU	MSU	WIS	USC
Allen, Mark	---	1-4-0	1-1-0	---	---	---	DNP	---	---	---	1-27-1	---	---	1-(-8)-0
Barkley, Saquon	1-17-0	2-45-1	2-7-0	5-77-0	1-(-3)-0	---	---	3-70-0	1-44-1	2-34-0	2-25-0	2-11-0	2-20-1	5-55-1
Blacknall, Saeed	2-24-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	---	1-35-0	1-42-0	1-19-1	1-43-0	---	3-29-0	6-155-2	DNP
Charles, Irvin	---	---	---	---	1-80-1	---	---	1-26-0	---	---	---	---	---	---
Gesicki, Mike	3-49-1	4-47-0	2-62-0	5-23-0	5-70-0	4-26-1	4-46-0	1-23-0	4-65-0	5-88-0	5-47-0	2-64-1	3-58-1	1-11-1
Godwin, Chris	7-67-0	4-36-0	7-117-1	1-8-1	4-97-0	---	2-39-1	5-58-2	4-87-0	5-82-2	3-36-0	5-135-2	3-33-0	9-187-2
Hamilton, DaeSean	2-9-1	8-82-0	2-50-0	1-11-0	3-17-0	2-35-0	1-34-0	1-14-0	---	3-85-0	2-35-0	1-16-0	8-118-0	---
Johnson, Juwan	---	1-27-0	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1-43-0	---	---
Paye, Irvine	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-10-0	DNP	DNP
Polk, Brandon	---	1-4-0	1-14-0	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ
Robinson, Andre	---	---	---	---	1-2-0	DNP	DNP	---	---	---	---	1-40-1	---	---
Sanders, Miles	---	---	---	1-3-0	DNP	---	---	1-21-1	---	---	---	---	---	---
Thompkins, DeAndre	1-43-0	3-87-0	3-36-0	3-(-1)-0	4-72-0	4-91-1	---	DNP	1-25-0	---	4-40-0	2-38-0	---	2-9-0

### PASSING

Trace McSorley	Tommy Stevens							C-A-I	Pct.	Yards	TD	Long	Sack-Yards	Efficiency	
	C-A-I	Pct.	Yards	TD	Long	Sack-Yards	Efficiency								
KENT STATE	16-31-0	51.6	209	2	43	1-11	129.54	KENT STATE	--	--	--	--	--	--	
at Pitt	24-35-1	68.6	332	1	40	4-33	151.97	at Pitt	DNP						
TEMPLE	18-24-1	75.0	287	1	52	0-0	180.87	TEMPLE	DNP						
at Michigan	16-27-1	59.3	121	1	30	6-27	101.72	at Michigan	DNP						
MINNESOTA	19-41-0	46.3	335	1	80	0-0	123.02	MINNESOTA	DNP						
MARYLAND	10-19-0	52.6	152	2	70	3-30	154.57	MARYLAND	--	--	--	--	--	--	
OHIO STATE	8-23-0	34.8	154	1	35	1-1	105.37	OHIO STATE	DNP						
at Purdue	12-23-0	52.2	228	3	42	1-10	178.49	at Purdue	1-2-0	50.0	26	0	26	0-0	159.20
IOWA	11-18-0	61.1	240	2	45	1-7	209.78	IOWA	--	--	--	--	--	--	
at Indiana	16-30-2	53.3	332	2	54	3-23	154.96	at Indiana	--	--	--	--	--	--	
at Rutgers	17-33-0	51.5	210	1	28	0-0	114.97	at Rutgers	--	--	--	--	--	--	
MICHIGAN STATE	17-23-0	73.9	376	4	59	1-8	268.63	MICHIGAN STATE	1-1-0	100.0	10	0	10	0-0	184.00
vs. Wisconsin	22-31-0	71.0	384	4	70	1-7	217.60	vs. Wisconsin	DNP						
vs. USC	18-29-3	62.1	254	4	72	1-3	160.47	vs. USC	DNP						

### KICKING & PUNTING

KICKOFFS							PUNTING										
Season	KO	Total Yards	TB	OB	Kick Avg.	Rtrns	Rtn Yds	Yds/Rtn	Season	No	Total Yds	Avg	Long	FC	I20	50+	Blk
Julius, Joey	93	5775	45	4	62.1	--	--	--	Gillikin, Blake	61	2611	42.8	69	18	22	13	0
Davis, Tyler	8	461	1	1	57.6	--	--	--	Pasquariello, Daniel	2	75	37.5	38	1	2	0	0
						50	941	18.8	Team	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	1
Season	KO	Total Yards	TB	OB	Kick Avg.	Rtrns	Rtn Yds	Yds/Rtn	Game	No	Total Yds	Avg	Long	FC	I20	50+	Blk
KENT STATE	7	453	6	0	64.7	1	22	22.0	KENT STATE	6	282	47.0	58	1	2	1	0
at Pitt	7	424	4	0	60.6	3	98	33.0	at Pitt	5	233	46.6	69	1	3	2	0
TEMPLE	7	451	6	1	64.4	0	0	0.0	TEMPLE	3	105	35.0	41	0	2	0	0
at Michigan	3	159	0	0	53.0	3	27	9.00	at Michigan	6	270	45.0	61	3	1	1	0
MINNESOTA	6	372	3	0	62.0	3	52	17.3	MINNESOTA	6	235	39.2	56	1	1	1	0
MARYLAND	7	428	2	0	61.1	5	84	16.8	MARYLAND	6	177	29.5	44	1	4	0	1
OHIO STATE	6	356	1	0	59.3	5	80	16.0	OHIO STATE	7	264	37.7	47	3	3	0	0
at Purdue	11	705	5	1	64.1	5	97	19.4	at Purdue	3	124	41.3	52	0	0	1	0
IOWA	7	450	3	0	64.3	4	78	19.5	IOWA	2	81	40.5	42	1	2	0	0
at Indiana	8	491	3	1	61.4	4	77	19.3	at Indiana	6	233	38.8	50	4	1	0	0
at Rutgers	9	523	4	0	58.1	5	97	19.4	at Rutgers	3	143	47.7	50	1	1	1	0
MICHIGAN STATE	8	513	4	1	64.1	3	53	17.7	MICHIGAN STATE	4	187	46.8	54	1	2	1	0
vs. Wisconsin	7	450	4	0	64.3	3	62	20.7	vs. Wisconsin	2	98	49.0	53	1	1	1	0
vs. USC	8	461	1	0	57.6	6	114	19.0	vs. USC	5	254	50.8	65	1	1	0	0

## INDIVIDUAL GAME-BY-GAME

## TACKLES

(UT-AT-TT)	UT-AT	TT	KSU	at PITT	TEM	at MICH	MINN	UMD	OSU	at PUR	IOWA	at IND	at RU	MSU	WIS	USC
Allen, Marcus	57-53	110	2-3	4-4	6-2	7-0	8-14	3-4	2-4	5-1	1-2	5-5	1-0	2-5	6-5	5-4
Bell, Brandon	40-48	88	3-5	5-4	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	7-11	3-2	1-2	5-3	3-2	3-15	10-3	0-1
Cabinda, Jason	36-45	81	5-6	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	3-10	6-3	1-8	8-1	3-0	0-8	3-5	7-4
Golden, Malik	48-27	75	3-0	3-3	3-6	8-3	DNP	3-3	3-3	5-3	0-1	6-0	1-0	2-3	4-2	7-0
Bowen, Manny	35-33	68	0-1	5-0	2-1	3-4	5-2	1-4	4-8	5-1	1-3	2-0	0-1	4-5	3-3	DNP
Smith, Brandon	21-33	54	--	--	4-4	1-1	2-5	2-12	1-3	3-1	2-2	1-2	2-1	3-2	--	--
Sickels, Garrett	23-24	47	1-5	3-0	2-1	1-1	0-1	1-0	3-6	3-0	0-3	1-2	1-0	4-4	2-1	1-0
Haley, Grant	23-16	39	--	--	DNP	DNP	2-5	1-1	0-3	2-1	2-1	3-0	2-0	2-2	4-1	5-2
Reid, John	23-13	36	2-2	3-2	2-2	1-2	1-0	3-2	1-2	1-0	2-0	2-0	3-0	0-1	1-0	1-0
Brown, Cam	14-19	33	DNP	0-1	--	4-6	6-3	--	--	1-2	2-1	--	0-3	--	--	1-3
Brown, Torrence	16-17	33	0-3	5-1	1-3	2-1	1-0	0-1	1-2	2-1	--	--	1-1	0-2	2-1	1-1
Schwan, Evan	16-16	32	2-2	--	DNP	--	3-0	2-2	1-2	1-1	1-1	1-2	1-0	0-3	1-2	3-1
Campbell, Christian	17-14	31	1-2	2-0	1-1	2-0	1-2	DNP	--	1-2	2-0	1-0	1-2	1-1	1-1	3-3
Farmer, Koa	14-15	29	0-1	--	--	2-1	2-1	1-4	1-1	2-1	3-0	0-3	0-1	0-2	1-0	2-0
Apke, Troy	11-17	28	1-0	0-1	--	1-3	3-3	1-1	--	0-1	0-1	3-0	1-1	1-6	--	--
Cothren, Parker	9-17	26	0-2	0-1	2-5	0-1	0-2	1-1	0-1	DNP	-----	1-0	3-1	1-0	1-1	0-2
Givens, Kevin	12-14	26	0-3	--	1-1	2-1	1-2	1-0	0-2	--	2-1	0-1	1-1	1-1	2-0	1-1
Oruwariye, Amani	13-10	23	0-2	2-0	0-1	2-1	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-0	2-0	1-0	1-2	4-3	--	0-1
Windsor, Robert	9-14	23	0-1	2-2	0-2	--	1-1	2-1	0-2	2-1	1-2	--	1-0	0-1	--	0-1
Miller, Shareef	13-9	22	4-1	0-1	--	--	1-3	2-0	2-2	1-0	--	2-1	--	1-1	--	--
Cothran, Curtis	11-10	21	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	0-1	0-1	0-1	--	2-1	1-0	1-1	0-4	5-0	2-1
Smith, Jordan	12-7	19	0-1	DNP	--	--	2-2	0-2	--	--	1-0	2-0	2-1	--	2-1	3-0
White, Antoine	6-11	17	1-4	1-2	--	3-1	1-1	0-1	--	--	0-1	--	--	--	0-1	--
Buchholz, Ryan	10-6	16	1-1	2-0	0-1	0-1	--	0-2	2-1	1-0	1-0	2-0	DNP	1-0	--	--
Cooper, Jake	4-11	15	--	0-2	1-4	2-4	1-1	DNP	DNP	--	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ
Wartman-White, Nyiem	8-6	14	1-4	7-2	--	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ
Chavis, Tyrell	2-11	13	0-2	0-1	--	0-2	0-1	1-0	0-1	--	0-1	0-1	--	0-1	--	1-1
Monroe, Aylon	3-9	12	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-0	1-2	0-2	0-1	1-1	--	--	--	0-2	0-1
Johnson, Juwan	7-2	9	--	--	--	--	1-0	0-1	--	1-1	--	1-0	1-0	--	1-0	2-0
Scott, Nick	3-5	8	0-1	0-1	--	--	--	1-2	--	DNP	--	--	--	1-0	0-1	1-0
Walker, Von	6-1	7	--	1-0	--	--	1-0	1-0	2-0	--	1-0	0-1	--	INJ	INJ	INJ
Charles, Irvin	5-0	5	--	--	--	--	--	1-0	1-0	--	--	2-0	1-0	--	--	--
Miller, Jarvis	2-3	5	--	1-0	--	--	--	0-1	--	--	--	--	1-1	--	--	0-1
Julius, Joey	2-1	3	1-0	--	--	1-0	--	--	0-1	--	--	--	--	--	--	DNP
Castagna, Colin	1-1	2	DNP	DNP	DNP	--	DNP	--	DNP	1-0	DNP	DNP	0-1	--	--	--
Dowrey, Derek	1-1	2	--	--	--	--	--	--	0-1	--	1-0	--	--	--	--	--
Johnson, Jan	1-1	2	DNP	DNP	DNP	1-1	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ
Taylor, Garrett	1-1	2	--	--	--	--	--	0-1	1-0	--	DNP	DNP	--	--	--	--
Thompson, DeAndre	2-0	2	--	--	--	2-0	--	--	--	DNP	--	--	--	--	--	--
Bates, Ryan	1-0	1	--	--	1-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Bentley, Gordon	1-0	1	DNP	DNP	--	DNP	--	--	DNP	--	--	DNP	1-0	--	DNP	--
Gillikin, Blake	1-0	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1-0
Hamilton, DaeSean	1-0	1	--	1-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
McPhearson, Josh	0-1	1	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	0-1	DNP	--	--	DNP	--	--	DNP	--
Wright, Chasz	1-0	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1-0

## TFL &amp; SACKS

TFL (Sacks)	KSU	at PITT	TEM	at MICH	MINN	UMD	OSU	at PUR	IOWA	at IND	at RU	MSU	WIS	USC
Allen, Marcus	---	1.0 (-)	1.0 (-)	---	1.0 (-)	1.0 (-)	---	---	---	1.5 (-)	---	0.5 (-)	---	---
Bell, Brandon	---	---	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	1.0 (1.0)	1.0 (-)	0.5 (-)	2.5 (1.0)	1.0 (1.0)	0.5 (-)	1.0 (1.0)	---
Bowen, Manny	---	1.0 (-)	1.0 (1.0)	1.0 (-)	2.0 (-)	---	1.0 (-)	---	---	1.0 (-)	---	1.0 (1.0)	0.5 (-)	DNP
Brown, Cam	DNP	---	---	1.0 (-)	---	---	---	---	---	---	0.5 (0.5)	---	---	---
Brown, Torrence	---	2.0 (-)	1.0 (0.5)	1.0 (-)	---	---	0.5 (-)	---	---	---	1.0 (-)	0.5 (-)	---	---
Buchholz, Ryan	1.0 (1.0)	---	0.5 (-)	---	---	---	---	1.0 (1.0)	0.5 (0.5)	---	DNP	1.0 (-)	---	---
Cabinda, Jason	---	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	2.0 (1.0)	---	0.5 (-)	1.0 (-)	---	0.5 (-)	---	---
Campbell, Christian	1.0 (-)	---	---	---	---	DNP	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Costagna, Colin	DNP	DNP	DNP	---	DNP	---	DNP	1.0 (-)	DNP	DNP	---	---	---	---
Cothren, Curtis	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	---	---	---	---	0.5 (-)	---	---	1.0 (0.5)	3.0 (-)	---
Cothren, Parker	0.5 (0.5)	---	2.5 (0.5)	---	0.5 (-)	---	0.5 (-)	DNP	---	0.5 (-)	10. (1.0)	---	---	---
Chavis, Tyrell	---	---	---	---	---	1.0 (-)	---	---	0.5 (0.5)	---	---	---	---	---
Farmer, Koa	---	---	---	---	0.5 (-)	1.5 (1.0)	---	---	1.0 (1.0)	---	0.5 (-)	---	1.0 (1.0)	---
Givens, Kevin	---	---	1.0 (-)	---	1.0 (0.5)	1.0 (1.0)	0.5 (0.5)	---	1.0 (1.0)	0.5 (0.5)	1.0 (-)	1.0 (1.0)	---	---
Golden, Malik	---	1.5 (-)	---	1.0 (-)	DNP	---	---	1.0 (-)	---	---	1.0 (-)	---	0.5 (-)	1.0 (-)
Haley, Grant	---	---	DNP	DNP	---	---	---	---	---	1.0 (-)	0.5 (-)	---	---	---
Miller, Shareef	2.0 (2.0)	---	---	---	1.5 (-)	1.0 (-)	1.0 (-)	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Reid, John	0.5 (0.5)	---	0.5 (-)	---	---	1.0 (-)	---	---	---	---	2.0 (-)	---	1.0 (-)	---
Schwan, Evan	1.0 (-)	---	DNP	---	1.0 (1.0)	1.0 (1.0)	1.0 (1.0)	---	1.0 (1.0)	0.5 (0.5)	1.0 (1.0)	1.0 (0.5)	1.0 (-)	---
Sickels, Garrett	1.5 (1.0)	---	0.5 (0.5)	---	0.5 (-)	1.0 (1.0)	3.5 (2.5)	1.0 (-)	0.5 (-)	2.0 (1.0)	1.0 (-)	1.0 (-)	---	---
Smith, Brandon	---	---	0.5 (-)	1.0 (-)	0.5 (-)	1.0 (-)	---	---	---	---	0.5 (0.5)	0.5 (-)	---	---
Smith, Jordan	0.5 (-)	DNP	---	---	---	0.5 (-)	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Wartman-White, Nyiem	0.5 (0.5)	3.0 (-)	---	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ
White, Antoine	1.5 (1.5)	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Windsor, Robert	---	0.5 (-)	0.5 (0.5)	---	0.5 (0.5)	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
<b>Team Total</b>	<b>10.0 (7.0)</b>	<b>9.0 (-)</b>	<b>9.0 (3.0)</b>	<b>5.0 (-)</b>	<b>9.0 (2.0)</b>	<b>10.0 (4.0)</b>	<b>11.0 (6.0)</b>	<b>5.0 (1.0)</b>	<b>6.0 (4.0)</b>	<b>9.0 (3.0)</b>	<b>11.0 (3.0)</b>	<b>10.0 (4.0)</b>	<b>8.0 (2.0)</b>	<b>1.0 (-)</b>

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### ALL-PURPOSE YARDS

	TOTAL	KSU	at PITT	TEM	at MICH	MINN	UMD	OSU	at PUR	IOWA	at IND	at RU	MSU	WIS	USC
Barkley, Saquon	1972	122	147	75	136	60	202	99	277	211	92	117	25	103	306
Godwin, Chris	995	67	36	117	8	97	--	52	58	87	82	36	135	33	187
Sanders, Miles	896	36	50	58	84	DNP	75	79	51	106	55	97	68	83	54
Gesicki, Mike	679	49	47	62	23	70	26	46	23	65	88	47	64	58	11
Hamilton, DaeSean	494	9	82	38	11	17	35	34	14	--	85	35	16	118	--
Thompkins, DeAndre	447	43	87	36	-1	72	91	--	DNP	32	--	40	38	--	9
McSorley, Trace	365	47	-17	8	-6	73	81	63	2	40	13	55	13	-20	13
Blacknall, Saeed	347	24	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	--	35	42	19	43	--	29	155	DNP
Stevens, Tommy	198	--	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	36	DNP	31	70	--	61	--	DNP	DNP
Robinson, Andre	183	-2	4	24	3	2	DNP	DNP	23	18	8	20	72	7	4
Reid, John	180	22	61	46	--	2	8	4	--	--	32	--	--	5	--
Allen, Mark	139	--	6	18	--	--	31	DNP	1	30	--	53	8	--	-8
Scott, Nick	138	52	43	17	--	26	--	--	DNP	--	--	--	--	--	--
Charles, Irvin	117	--	--	--	--	80	--	--	26	--	11	--	--	--	--
Johnson, Juwan	90	--	27	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	20	43	--	--
Polk, Brandon	53	--	4	49	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ	INJ
Garrity, Gregg	32	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	--	11	--	--	3	--	--	--	18
Bell, Brandon	24	--	--	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	24
Smith, Brandon	22	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	22	--	--	--	--	--	--
Campbell, Christian	18	--	--	--	--	--	DNP	--	18	--	--	--	--	--	--
Paye, Irvine	17	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	17	DNP	DNP
Pancoast, Tom	11	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	11	--	--	--	--
Apke, Troy	10	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	10	--	--	--	--	--
Golden, Malik	8	--	8	--	--	DNP	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Oruwarie, Amani	4	30	--	(-26)	--	DNP	DNP	DNP	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Farmer, Koa	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	3	--	--	--	--	--	--
TEAM	(-101)	(-5)	--	(-16)	--	--	(-3)	(-43)	(-13)	--	--	--	(-2)	(-19)	--

### RED ZONE RECAP

#### PENN STATE

Opponent	Series	Result	Pct.
KENT STATE	5	2 TD, 2 FG, 1 TO on downs	80%
at Pitt	5	4 TD, 1 FG	100%
TEMPLE	6	2 TD, 2 FG, 1 Fumble, 1 Half	66.7%
at Michigan	2	1 TD, 1 FG	100%
MINNESOTA	3	1 TD, 2 FG	100%
MARYLAND	4	2 TD, 1 FG, 1 Fumble	75%
OHIO STATE	4	2 TD, 1 FG, 1 FG Blocked	75%
at Purdue	8	6 TD, 2 FG	100%
IOWA	7	3 TD, 2 FG, 1 FG Blocked, 1 Half	71%
at Indiana	5	4 TD, 1 FG	100%
at Rutgers	8	3 TD, 4 FG, 1 TO on downs	88%
MICHIGAN STATE	4	2 TD, 1 FG, 1 Half	75%
vs. Wisconsin	3	2 TD, 1 FG	100%
vs. USC	3	3 TD	100%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>37 TD, 21 FG, 2 Downs, 2 Fumbles, 3 End of Half, 2 FG Blocked</b>	<b>86.6%</b>

#### OPPONENT

Opponent	Series	Result	Pct.
KENT STATE	3	2 FG, 1 INT	66.7%
at Pitt	6	6 TD	100%
TEMPLE	4	3 TD, 1 FG	100%
at Michigan	6	6 TD	100%
MINNESOTA	5	1 TD, 3 FG, 1 INT	80%
MARYLAND	2	1, TD, 1 Fumble	50%
OHIO STATE	2	2 FG	100%
at Purdue	2	2 TD	100%
IOWA	1	1 TD	100%
at Indiana	4	3 TD, 1 TO on downs	75%
at Rutgers	1	1 Missed FG	0%
MICHIGAN STATE	4	4 FG	100%
vs. Wisconsin	3	2 TD, 1 FG	100%
vs. USC	5	4 TD, 1 FG	100%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>29 TD, 14 FG, 2 INT, 1 Fumble, 1 Downs, 1 Missed FG</b>	<b>89.6%</b>

### GAME LEADERS

Opponent	Rushing Attempts	Rushing Yards	Receptions	Receiving Yards	All-Purpose Yards	Tackles
KENT STATE	22 - Barkley	105 - Barkley	7 - Godwin	67 - Godwin	122 - Barkley	11 - Cabinda
at Pitt	20 - Barkley	85 - Barkley	8 - Hamilton	82 - Hamilton	147 - Barkley	9 - Wartman-White
TEMPLE	9 - Barkley	68 - Barkley	7 - Godwin	117 - Godwin	117 - Godwin	9 - Golden
at Michigan	15 - Barkley	59 - Barkley	5 - Barkley & Gesicki	77 - Barkley	136 - Barkley	11 - Golden
MINNESOTA	20 - Barkley	73 - McSorley	5 - Gesicki	97 - Godwin	97 - Godwin	22 - Allen
MARYLAND	31 - Barkley	202 - Barkley	4 - Thompkins & Gesicki	91 - Thompkins	202 - Barkley	14 - Smith, B.
OHIO STATE	19 - McSorley	99 - Barkley	4 - Gesicki	46 - Gesicki	99 - Barkley	18 - Bell
at Purdue	18 - Barkley	207 - Barkley	5 - Godwin	70 - Barkley	277 - Barkley	9 - Cabinda
IOWA	20 - Barkley	167 - Barkley	4 - Godwin & Gesicki	87 - Godwin	211 - Barkley	8 - Cabinda
at Indiana	33 - Barkley	58 - Barkley	5 - Godwin & Gesicki	88 - Gesicki	92 - Barkley	10 - Allen, Marcus
at Rutgers	16 - Barkley	92 - Barkley	5 - Gesicki	47 - Gesicki	117 - Barkley	5 - Bell
MICHIGAN STATE	12 - Barkley	32 - Robinson	5 - Godwin	135 - Godwin	135 - Godwin	18 - Bell
vs. Wisconsin	19 - Barkley	83 - Barkley	8 - Hamilton	155 - Blacknall	155 - Blacknall	13 - Bell
vs. USC	25 - Barkley	194 - Barkley	9 - Godwin	187 - Godwin	306 - Barkley	11 - Cabinda

## TURNOVER BY GAME

## PENN STATE: 21 GAINED

TYPE	QTR	PLAYER	PLAYS/ YDS	1st DWNS	RESULT
<b>KENT STATE (3)</b>					
Fumble	2	Washington by Allen, Marcus	2/13	1	TD
Interception	3	Oruwariye of Agner	-	-	TD
Interception	3	Bell of Agner	6/20	1	Punt

## PITT (2)

Interception	2	Golden of Peterman	5/23	-	Punt
Fumble	4	Conner by Reid	1/2	-	FG

## TEMPLE (1)

Interception	4	Reid of Walker	2/4	-	End of Game
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## MICHIGAN (0)

## MINNESOTA (1)

Interception	4	Smith, J. of Leidner	6/23	1	Punt
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## MARYLAND (2)

Interception	1	Smith, B. of Hills	12/42	3	FG
Fumble	1	Hills by Brown, T.	3/(-7)	-	Punt

## OHIO STATE (0)

## PURDUE (4)

Interception	3	Smith, B. of Blough	4/24	1	TD
Fumble	3	Marshall by Smith, J.	2/24	1	TD
Fumble	4	Blough by Givens	7/58	3	TD
Interception	4	Campbell of Sindelar	4/28	1	TD

## IOWA (1)

Interception	4	Apke of Beathard	1/44	1	TD
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## INDIANA (5)

Fumble	1	Paige by Allen, Marcus	3/(-2)	-	Punt
Fumble	2	Williams by Givens	4/5	-	Punt
Fumble	2	Michell by Golden	7/11	1	Punt
Fumble	2	James by Campbell	1/6	-	TD
Fumble	4	Lagow by Brown, T.	-	-	TD

## RUTGERS (0)

## MICHIGAN STATE (1)

Fumble	3	O'Connor by Apke	2/62	1	TD
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## WISCONSIN (0)

## USC (1)

Interception	3	Bell of Darnold	1/3	-	TD
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## OPPONENT: 20 GAINED

TYPE	QTR	PLAYER	PLAYS/ YDS	1st DWNS	RESULT
<b>KENT STATE (1)</b>					
Fumble	2	McSorley by Refuge	-	-	TD

## PITT (4)

Fumble	1	McSorley by Caprara	1/(-6)	1	TD
Fumble	2	McSorley by Whitehead	2/15	1	TD
Fumble	3	Barkley by Caprara	7/18	1	FG (missed)
Interception	4	Lewis of McSorley	7/40	-	End of Game

## TEMPLE (3)

Fumble	2	Sanders by Williams	7/41	-	Punt
Interception	3	Randall of McSorley	1/0	-	TD
Fumble	4	Oruwariye by Randall	0/(-26)	-	TD

## MICHIGAN (2)

Interception	4	McCray of McSorley	4/31	1	TD
Fumble	4	Sanders by Hill	2/(-3)	-	End of Game

## MINNESOTA (0)

## MARYLAND (1)

Fumble	3	Barkley by Likely	7/62	2	TO on Downs
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## OHIO STATE (1)

Fumble	1	Reid by McLaurin	5/22	1	FG
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## PURDUE (0)

## IOWA (0)

## INDIANA (2)

Interception	2	Fant of McSorley	5/32	2	TD
Interception	3	Fields of McSorley	7/28	2	TO on Downs

## RUTGERS (1)

Fumble	1	Sanders by Gray	4/(-7)	-	Missed FG
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## MICHIGAN STATE (0)

## WISCONSIN (2)

Fumble	2	Team by Connelly	1/12	-	TD
Fumble	2	McSorley by Watt	3/3	-	Punt

## USC (3)

Interception	1	McSorley by Marshall	4/2	-	Missed FG
Interception	1	McSorley by Jackson	5/51	2	TD
Interception	4	McSorley by McQuay	3/5	-	FG

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### TOURNOVER BY PLAYER

#### FUMBLES

(#-Lost)	KSU	at PITT	TEM	at MICH	MINN	UMD	OSU	at PUR	IOWA	at IND	at RU	MSU	WIS	USC
Barkley, Saquon	--	1-1	--	--	--	1-1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Farmer, Koa	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1-0	--	--	--	--	--	--
McSorley, Trace	2-1	4-2	2-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1-1	1-0
Oruwariye, Amani	--	--	1-1	--	DNP	DNP	DNP	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Reid, John	--	--	--	--	--	--	1-1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Sanders, Miles	--	--	1-1	1-1	DNP	1-0	--	--	--	--	1-1	--	--	--
TEAM	--	--	1-0	--	--	--	1-0	--	--	--	--	1-1	--	--

#### FORCED FUMBLES

	KSU	at PITT	TEM	at MICH	MINN	UMD	OSU	at PUR	IOWA	at IND	at RU	MSU	WIS	USC
Allen, Marcus	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Bell, Brandon	--	--	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	--	--	--	1	1	--	1	--
Brown, Torrence	--	1	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--
Farmer, Koa	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Golden, Malik	--	--	--	--	DNP	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--
Miller, Shareef	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--
Schwan, Evan	--	--	DNP	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--

#### FUMBLES RECOVERED

(#-Yards)	KSU	at PITT	TEM	at MICH	MINN	UMD	OSU	at PUR	IOWA	at IND	at RU	MSU	WIS	USC
Allen, Marcus	1-6	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1-0	--	--	--	--
Apke, Troy	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1-0	--	--	--
Brown, Torrence	--	--	--	--	--	1-0	--	--	--	1-9	--	--	--	--
Campbell, Christian	--	--	--	--	--	DNP	--	--	--	1-0	--	--	--	--
Givens, Kevin	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1-0	--	1-0	--	--	--	--
Golden, Malik	--	--	--	--	DNP	--	--	--	--	1-0	--	--	--	--
Reid, John	--	1-4	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Smith, Jordan	--	DNP	--	--	--	--	--	1-0	--	--	--	--	--	--

#### INTERCEPTIONS

(#-Yards)	KSU	at PITT	TEM	at MICH	MINN	UMD	OSU	at PUR	IOWA	at IND	at RU	MSU	WIS	USC
Apke, Troy	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1-10	--	--	--	--	--
Bell, Brandon	1-0	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	DNP	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1-24
Campbell, Christian	--	--	--	--	--	DNP	--	1-18	--	--	--	--	--	--
Golden, Malik	--	1-8	--	--	DNP	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Oruwariye, Amani	1-30	--	--	--	DNP	DNP	DNP	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Reid, John	--	--	1-14	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Smith, Brandon	--	--	--	--	--	1-0	--	1-22	--	--	--	--	--	--
Smith, Jordan	--	DNP	--	--	1-0	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

#### SCORING BREAKDOWN

##### PENN STATE DRIVES

**Totals:** 88 scoring drives (64 TD, 22 FG)

**Special Teams/Defensive Touchdown:** 3

Oruwariye - 30-yard Interception Return, KSU

Haley - 60-yard Blocked FG Return

OSU; Brown - 9-yard Fumble Recovery, IND

##### LONGEST DRIVES BY:

**Plays:** 13, 3x Last: vs. USC (1/2)  
12, 3x Last: at Rutgers (11/19)

**Yards:** 95 at Rutgers (11/19)  
90, 2x Last: vs. Wisconsin (12/3)

**Time:** 6:20 at Michigan (9/24)  
5:57 TEMPLE (9/17)

##### OPPONENT DRIVES

**Totals:** 60 scoring drives (40, TD, 20 FG)

**Special Teams/Defensive Touchdown:** 1

Connelly, R. - 12-yard Fumble Recovery, WIS.

##### LONGEST DRIVES BY:

**Plays:** 14, 2x Last: Wisconsin (12/3)  
13, 3x Last: Michigan State (11/26)

**Yards:** 99 Pitt (9/10)  
87 Minnesota (10/1)

**Time:** 8:00 Wisconsin (12/3)  
6:15 Michigan (9/24)

## LONG PLAY BREAKDOWN

## BY YARDAGE

## OFFENSE

Yards	Type	Player(s)	Opponent
*81	Rush	Barkley, Saquon	Purdue
*80	Pass	Charles, Irvin from McSorley, Trace	Minnesota
*79	Rush	Barkley, Saquon	USC
*72	Pass	Godwin, Chris from McSorley, Trace	USC
*70	Pass	Blacknall, Saeed from McSorley, Trace	Wisconsin
*70	Pass	Thompkins, DeAndre from McSorley, Trace	Maryland
*59	Pass	Godwin, Chris from McSorley, Trace	Michigan State
57	Rush	Sanders, Miles	Rutgers
*57	Rush	Barkley, Saquon	Iowa
*55	Rush	Barkley, Saquon	Temple
54	Pass	Hamilton, DaeSean from McSorley, Trace	Indiana
53	Pass	Thompkins, DeAndre from McSorley, Trace	Minnesota
53	Pass	Gesicki, Mike from McSorley, Trace	Minnesota
*52	Pass	Godwin, Chris from McSorley, Trace	Temple
52	Pass	Gesicki, Mike from McSorley, Trace	Temple
45	Rush	Stevens, Tommy	Iowa
45	Pass	Gesicki, Mike from McSorley, Trace	Indiana
45	Pass	Godwin, Chris from McSorley, Trace	Iowa
*45	Rush	Barkley, Saquon	Maryland
45	Pass	Hamilton, DaeSean from McSorley, Trace	Temple
*45	Pass	Gesicki, Mike from McSorley, Trace	Michigan State
*44	Pass	Barkley, Saquon from McSorley, Trace	Iowa
43	Pass	Blacknall, Saeed from McSorley, Trace	Indiana
43	Pass	Gesicki, Mike from McSorley, Trace	Iowa
43	Pass	Thompkins, DeAndre from McSorley, Trace	Kent State
43	Pass	Johnson, Juwan from McSorley, Trace	Michigan State
42	Pass	Blacknall, Saeed from McSorley, Trace	Purdue
*40	Pass	Robinson, Andre from McSorley, Trace	Michigan State
*40	Pass	Barkley, Saquon from McSorley, Trace	Pitt
*40	Pass	Blacknall, Saeed from McSorley, Trace	Wisconsin
39	Pass	Thompkins, DeAndre from McSorley, Trace	Pitt
*38	Pass	Godwin, Chris from McSorley, Trace	Purdue
38	Pass	Hamilton, DaeSean from McSorley, Trace	Wisconsin
37	Pass	Barkley, Saquon from McSorley, Trace	Purdue
37	Rush	Barkley, Saquon	Ohio State
36	Pass	Godwin, Chris from McSorley, Trace	Minnesota
35	Pass	Blacknall, Saeed from McSorley, Trace	Ohio State
*34	Pass	Godwin, Chris from McSorley, Trace	Michigan State
34	Pass	Hamilton, DaeSean from McSorley, Trace	Ohio State
34	Pass	Thompkins, DeAndre from McSorley, Trace	Pitt
*33	Pass	Gesicki, Mike from McSorley, Trace	Wisconsin
33	Rush	Barkley, Saquon	Michigan
32	Pass	Barkley, Saquon from McSorley, Trace	Indiana
32	Pass	Godwin, Chris from McSorley, Trace	Minnesota
31	Rush	Stevens, Tommy	Rutgers
*30	Pass	Gesicki, Mike from McSorley, Trace	Kent State
*30	Pass	Godwin, Chris from McSorley, Trace	USC
30	Pass	Barkley, Saquon from McSorley, Trace	Michigan
29	Rush	Barkley, Saquon	Pitt
29	Pass	Godwin, Chris from McSorley, Trace	USC
28	Rush	Barkley, Saquon	Kent State
28	Pass	Hamilton, DaeSean from McSorley, Trace	Rutgers
*27	Pass	Allen, Mark from McSorley, Trace	Purdue
27	Pass	Johnson, Juwan from McSorley, Trace	Ohio State
27	Rush	Barkley, Saquon	Ohio State
26	Pass	Charles, Irvin from Stevens, Tommy	Purdue
26	Pass	Gesicki, Mike from McSorley, Trace	Ohio State
26	Pass	Godwin, Chris from McSorley, Trace	Kent State
26	Pass	Hamilton, DaeSean from McSorley, Trace	Indiana
26	Pass	Godwin, Chris from McSorley, Trace	Indiana
26	Rush	McSorley, Trace	Minnesota
26	Pass	Gesicki, Mike from McSorley, Trace	Rutgers
25	Rush	Barkley, Saquon	Maryland
25	Pass	Hamilton, DaeSean from McSorley, Trace	Wisconsin
25	Rush	McSorley, Trace	Maryland

*25	Rush	Sanders, Miles	Maryland
25	Pass	Thompkins, DeAndre from McSorley, Trace	Iowa
25	Pass	Thompkins, DeAndre from McSorley, Trace	Michigan State
24	Pass	Gesicki, Mike from McSorley, Trace	Pitt
24	Pass	Hamilton, DaeSean from McSorley, Trace	Pitt
23	Pass	Godwin, Chris from McSorley, Trace	Temple
23	Rush	Barkley, Saquon	Minnesota
23	Pass	Gesicki, Mike from McSorley, Trace	Purdue
22	Rush	Sanders, Miles	Rutgers
22	Rush	Barkley, Saquon	Purdue
22	Rush	Barkley, Saquon	Wisconsin
22	Pass	Godwin, Chris from McSorley, Trace	Rutgers
21	Pass	Barkley, Saquon from McSorley, Trace	Purdue
21	Pass	Hamilton, DaeSean from McSorley, Trace	Maryland
21	Rush	Barkley, Saquon	Indiana
21	Pass	Blacknall, Saeed from McSorley, Trace	Kent State
*21	Pass	Sanders, Miles from McSorley, Trace	Purdue
*21	Pass	Godwin, Chris from McSorley, Trace	Indiana
21	Pass	Gesicki, Mike from McSorley, Trace	Indiana
20	Rush	Barkley, Saquon	Maryland
20	Pass	Godwin, Chris from McSorley, Trace	Michigan State
*20	Pass	Godwin, Chris from McSorley, Trace	Minnesota
20	Rush	Barkley, Saquon	Ohio State

## DEFENSE

Yards	Type	Player(s)	Opponent
*30	INT	Oruwariye, Amani	Kent State
24	INT	Bell, Brandon	USC
22	INT	Smith, Brandon	Purdue

## SPECIAL TEAMS

Yards	Type	Player(s)	Opponent
*60	FGR	Haley, Grant	Ohio State
59	PR	Reid, John	Pitt
48	KR	Sanders, Miles	Iowa
35	KR	Polk, Brandon	Temple
33	KR	Sanders, Miles	Pitt
33	KR	Barkley, Saquon	USC
31	KR	Sanders, Miles	Indiana
31	KR	Sanders, Miles	Temple
30	KR	Scott, Nick	Kent State
29	KR	Sanders, Miles	Wisconsin
29	PR	Reid, John	Temple
29	KR	Scott, Nick	Pitt
27	KR	Sanders, Miles	Indiana
27	KR	Sanders, Miles	Ohio State
26	KR	Sanders, Miles	Ohio State
26	KR	Scott, Nick	Minnesota
25	KR	Sanders, Miles	Michigan
24	KR	Sanders, Miles	Michigan
24	KR	Sanders, Miles	Purdue
24	KR	Barkley, Saquon	USC
23	KR	Sanders, Miles	Wisconsin
23	KR	Sanders, Miles	Maryland
23	KR	Sanders, Miles	USC
22	KR	Scott, Nick	Kent State
22	KR	Sanders, Miles	Michigan State
21	KR	Sanders, Miles	Ohio State
21	PR	Reid, John	Kent State
20	KR	Sanders, Miles	USC

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## LONG PLAY BREAKDOWN

### LONG PLAYS BY THE NUMBERS

#### BY YARDAGE

Yards	No.	TD	Type	No.	TD
100+	0	0	Rushing	26	8
90-99	0	0	Passing	65	20
80-89	2	2	Punt returns	3	0
70-79	4	4	Kick returns	26	0
60-69	0	0	Interceptions	3	1
50-59	10	4	Fumble returns	0	0
40-49	16	6	Other	1	1
30-39	25	6	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>30</b>
20-29	66	7			

### 20+ YARD PLAYS BY PLAYER

Player	No.	TD	R	P	KR	PR	IR	FR
Barkley, Saquon	27	9	19	6	2	0	0	0
Sanders, Miles	23	2	3	1	19	0	0	0
Godwin, Chris	18	8	0	18	0	0	0	0
Gesicki, Mike	12	3	0	12	0	0	0	0
Hamilton, DaeSean	9	0	0	9	0	0	0	0
Thompson, DeAndre	7	1	0	7	0	0	0	0
Blacknall, Saeed	6	2	0	6	0	0	0	0
Scott, Nick	4	0	0	0	4	0	0	0
Reid, John	3	0	0	0	0	3	0	0
Charles, Irvin	2	1	0	2	0	0	0	0
Stevens, Tommy	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
McSorley, Trace	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
Johnson, Juwan	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
Allen, Mark	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Oruwariye, Amani	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
Robinson, Andre	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Haley, Grant	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Bell, Brandon	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Polk, Brandon	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Smith, Brandon	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>

### LONGEST PLAYS OF THE YEAR

#### Rushing

81 Barkley, Saquon at Purdue (10/29/2016)

#### Rushing Touchdown

81 Barkley, Saquon at Purdue (10/29/2016)

#### Passing

80 Charles, Irvin from McSorley, Trace vs. Minnesota (10/1/2016)

#### Passing Touchdown

80 Charles, Irvin from McSorley, Trace vs. Minnesota (10/1/2016)

#### Punt Return

59 Reid, John at Pitt (9/17/2016)

#### Kick Return

48 Sanders, Miles vs. Iowa (11/5/2016)

#### Interception Return

30 Oruwariye, Amani vs. Kent State (9/3/2016)

#### Fumble Return

9 Brown, Torrence at Indiana (11/12/2016)

#### Field Goal Return

60 Haley, Grant vs. Ohio State (10/22/2016)

#### Punt

69 Gillikin, Blake at Pitt (9/17/2016)

#### Field Goal

40 Davis, Tyler vs. Minnesota (10/1/2016)

40 Davis, Tyler at Rutgers (11/19/2016)

40 Davis, Tyler vs. Temple (9/17/2016)

### PENN STATE [124 PLAYS]

Play	#	Long	Play	Opponent
Passing:	65	80*	Charles, Irvin from McSorley, Trace	Minnesota
KR:	26	35	Polk, Brandon	Temple
Rushing:	26	81	Barkley, Saquon	Purdue
INT:	3	30*	Oruwariye, Amani	Kent State
PR:	3	59	Reid, John	Pitt
FR:	-	-	-	-
Other:	1	60*	Haley, Grant	Ohio State

Opp.	#	Long	Play	Type
KENT STATE	9	43	Thompson, DeAndre from McSorley	Pass
at Pitt	10	59	Reid, John	PR
TEMPLE	8	55*	Barkley, Saquon	Rush
at Michigan	4	33	Barkley, Saquon	Rush
MINNESOTA	10	80*	Charles, Irvin from McSorley	Pass
MARYLAND	8	70*	Thompson, DeAndre from McSorley	Pass
OHIO STATE	10	60*	Haley, Grant	FGR
at Purdue	12	81*	Barkley, Saquon	Rush
IOWA	8	57*	Barkley, Saquon	Rush
at Indiana	11	54	Hamilton, DaeSean from McSorley	Pass
at Rutgers	7	57	Sanders, Miles	Rush
MICHIGAN STATE	9	59*	Godwin, Chris from McSorley	Pass
vs. Wisconsin	8	70*	Blacknall, Saeed from McSorley	Pass
vs. USC	10	79*	Barkley, Saquon	Rush

### OPPONENTS [84 PLAYS]

Play	#	Long	Play	Opponent
Passing:	33	66*	Johnson, Ty from Hills, Perry	Maryland
Rushing:	22	74*	Samuel, Curtis	Ohio State
KR:	15	84	Henderson, Quadree	Pitt
FR:	1	20*	Refuge, Elcee	Kent State
INT:	2	34	Fant, Rashard	Indiana
PR:	2	53	Peppers, Jabrill	Michigan

Opp.	#	Long	Play	Type
Kent State	5	37	James, Raekwon from Mitchell, Mylik	Pass
at Pitt	9	84	Henderson, Quadree	KR
TEMPLE	1	67	Deloatch, Romond	Pass
at Michigan	8	53	Peppers, Jabrill	KR
MINNESOTA	4	37*	Brooks, Shannon	Rush
MARYLAND	6	66*	Johnson, Ty from Hills, Perry	Pass
OHIO STATE	6	74*	Samuel, Curtis	Rush
at Purdue	5	62*	Yancey, DeAngelo from Blough, David	Pass
IOWA	5	36*	Smith, Jerminic from Beathard, C.J.	Pass
at Indiana	9	52	Patrick, Camion from Diamont, Zander	Pass
at Rutgers	1	51	Goodwin, Justin	KR
MICHIGAN STATE	3	39	Shelton, R.J. from Terry, Damion	Pass
vs. Wisconsin	6	67*	Clement, Corey	Rush
vs. USC	16	36	Smith-Schuster from Darnold, Sam	Pass

\* - touchdown scored on play

## OFFENSIVE STARTERS

OPPONENT	LT	LG	C	RG	RT	TE	QB	RB	WR (X)	WR (H)	WR (Z)
KENT STATE	Mahon	Bates	Gaia	Dowrey	Nelson	Gesicki	McSorley	Barkley	Godwin	Hamilton	Blacknall
at Pittsburgh	Mahon	Bates	Gaia	Dowrey	Nelson	Gesicki	McSorley	Barkley	Godwin	Hamilton	Thompkins
TEMPLE	Mahon	Bates	Gaia	Dowrey	Nelson	Gesicki	McSorley	Barkley	Godwin	Hamilton	Thompkins
at Michigan	Mahon	Bates	Gaia	Dowrey	Nelson	Gesicki	McSorley	Barkley	Godwin	Hamilton	Thompkins
MINNESOTA	Mahon	Bates	Gaia	McGovern	Nelson	Gesicki	McSorley	Barkley	Godwin	Hamilton	Thompkins
MARYLAND	Mahon	Bates	Gaia	McGovern	Nelson	Gesicki	McSorley	Barkley	Godwin	Hamilton	Thompkins
OHIO STATE	Palmer	Bates	Gaia	McGovern	Mahon	Gesicki	McSorley	Barkley	Godwin	Hamilton	Thompkins
at Purdue	Palmer	Bates	Gaia	McGovern	Mahon	Gesicki	McSorley	Barkley	Johnson	Godwin	Blacknall
IOWA	Palmer	Bates	Gaia	McGovern	Mahon	Gesicki	McSorley	Barkley	Godwin	Hamilton	Blacknall
at Indiana	Palmer	Bates	Gaia	McGovern	Wright	Gesicki	McSorley	Barkley	Godwin	Hamilton	Blacknall
at Rutgers	Bates	Gonzalez	Gaia	Dowrey	Wright	Gesicki	McSorley	Barkley	Godwin	Hamilton	Blacknall
MICHIGAN STATE	Bates	Dowrey	Gaia	McGovern	Wright	Gesicki	McSorley	Barkley	Godwin	Hamilton	Blacknall
vs. Wisconsin	Bates	Gonzalez	Gaia	McGovern	Wright	Gesicki	McSorley	Barkley	Godwin	Hamilton	Blacknall
vs. USC	Bates	Gonzalez	Gaia	McGovern	Wright	Gesicki	McSorley	Barkley	Godwin	Hamilton	Thompkins

## DEFENSIVE STARTERS

OPPONENT	DE	DT	DT	DE	SLB	MLB	WLB	CB	FS	SS	CB
KENT STATE	Schwan	Givens	Cothren	Sickels	Bell	Cabinda	Wartman-White	Reid	Allen	Golden	Haley
at Pittsburgh	Schwan	Givens	Cothren	Sickels	Bell	Wartman-White	Bowen	Reid	Allen	Golden	Haley
TEMPLE	T. Brown	Givens	Cothren	Sickels	Cooper	Wartman-White	Bowen	Reid	Allen	Golden	Campbell
at Michigan	T. Brown	Givens	Cothren	Sickels	Cooper	B. Smith	Bowen	Reid	Allen	Golden	Campbell
MINNESOTA	Schwan	Givens	Cothren	Sickels	C. Brown	B. Smith	Bowen	Reid	Allen	Apke	Campbell
MARYLAND	Schwan	Givens	Cothren	Sickels	C. Brown	Bowen	Farmer	Reid	Allen	Golden	Haley
OHIO STATE	Schwan	Cothren	Cothren	T. Brown	Bell	Cabinda	Bowen	Reid	Allen	Golden	Haley
at Purdue	Schwan	Cothren	Windsor	T. Brown	Bell	Cabinda	Bowen	Reid	Allen	Golden	Haley
IOWA	Schwan	Cothren	Cothren	Sickels	Bell	Cabinda	Bowen	Reid	Allen	Golden	Haley
at Indiana	Schwan	Cothren	Cothren	Sickels	Bell	Cabinda	Bowen	Reid	Allen	Golden	Haley
at Rutgers	Schwan	Cothren	Cothren	Sickels	Bell	Cabinda	Bowen	Reid	Allen	Golden	Haley
MICHIGAN STATE	Schwan	Cothren	Cothren	Sickels	Bell	Cabinda	Bowen	Reid	Allen	Golden	Haley
vs. Wisconsin	Schwan	Cothren	Cothren	Sickels	Bell	Cabinda	Bowen	Reid	Allen	Golden	Haley
vs. USC	Schwan	Cothren	Cothren	Sickels	Bell	Cabinda	Farmer	Reid	Allen	Golden	Haley

## CAREER STARTS

Player	'13	'14	'15	'16	Total
Gaia (G/C)	-	12	13	14	39
Hamilton (WR)	-	13	12	13	38
Marcus Allen (S)	-	7	12	14	33
Bell (LB)	1	10	11	10	32
Mahon (G/T)	-	9	11	9	29
Godwin (WR)	-	3	11	14	28
Nelson (T/G)	-	13	8	6	27
Wartman-White (LB)	8	12	1	3	24
Sickels (DE)	-	-	12	12	24
Cabinda (LB)	-	1	13	9	23
Gesicki (TE/H)	-	1	8	14	23
Haley (CB)	-	-	11	11	22
Barkley (RB)	-	-	6	14	20
Golden (S)	-	-	4	13	17
Reid (CB)	-	-	2	14	16
Palmer (T)	-	-	11	4	15
Bates (G)	-	-	-	14	14
McSorley (QB)	-	-	-	14	14
Cothren (DT)	-	-	-	13	13
Bowen (LB)	-	-	-	12	12
Dowrey (G)	-	1	5	6	12
Schwan (DE)	-	-	-	12	12

Player	'13	'14	'15	'16	Total
Blacknall (WR)	-	1	3	7	11
McGovern (G)	-	-	-	9	9
Cothren (DT)	-	-	-	8	8
Laurent (C)	-	3	5	-	8
Thompkins (WR)	-	-	-	7	7
Givens (DT)	-	-	-	6	6
Wright (T)	-	-	-	5	5
T. Brown (DE)	-	-	-	4	4
Campbell (CB)	-	1	-	3	4
Cooper (LB)	-	-	1	2	3
Gonzalez (G)	-	-	-	3	3
Polk (WR)	-	-	3	-	3
Walker (LB)	-	1	2	-	3
Apke (S)	-	-	1	1	2
C. Brown (LB)	-	-	-	2	2
Farmer (LB)	-	-	-	2	2
B. Smith (LB)	-	-	-	2	2
Mark Allen (RB)	-	-	1	-	1
Johnson (WR)	-	-	-	1	1
Scott (S)	-	-	1	-	1
Windsor (DT)	-	-	-	1	1

# 2016 SEASON IN REVIEW

## THE LAST TIME...

### PENN STATE

100+ Yards Rushing:	194, Saquon Barkley vs. USC, 2017 ^
150+ Yards Rushing:	194, Saquon Barkley vs. USC, 2017 ^
200+ Yards Rushing:	207, Saquon Barkley at Purdue, 2016
300+ Yards Rushing:	327, Larry Johnson at Indiana, 2002
30-34 Rushing Attempts:	33, Saquon Barkley at Indiana, 2016
35+ Rushing Attempts:	35, Zach Zwinak vs. Nebraska, 2013
Three Touchdowns Rushing:	Saquon Barkley (4) at Pitt, 2016
Four Touchdowns Rushing:	Saquon Barkley at Pitt, 2016
Five Touchdowns Rushing:	Ki-Jana Carter vs. Michigan State, 1994
60+ Yard Run:	79, Saquon Barkley vs. USC, 2017 ^
70+ Yard Run:	79, Saquon Barkley vs. USC, 2017 ^
80+ Yard Run:	81, Saquon Barkley at Purdue, 2016
90+ Yard Run:	92, Bill Belton at Indiana, 2014
Two Players Rush For 100 Yards:	Saquon Barkley (195) & Akeel Lynch (120) vs. Rutgers, 2015
Four Rushing TD in One Quarter:	vs. UMass, 2014 (2nd; Belton (2), Zwinak (2))
300+ Yards Passing:	384, Trace McSorley vs. Wisconsin, 2016 &
350+ Yards Passing:	384, Trace McSorley vs. Wisconsin, 2016 &
400+ Yards Passing:	454, Christian Hackenberg vs. UCF, 2014 #
20-24 Pass Completions:	22, Trace McSorley vs. Wisconsin, 2016 &
25-29 Pass Completions:	25, Christian Hackenberg at Rutgers, 2014
30-34 Pass Completions:	34, Christian Hackenberg vs. Boston College, 2014 %
35+ Pass Completions:	35, Matt McGloin vs. Northwestern, 2012
30-39 Pass Attempts:	31, Trace McSorley vs. Wisconsin, 2016 &
40-49 Pass Attempts:	41, Trace McSorley vs. Minnesota, 2016
50+ Pass Attempts:	50, Christian Hackenberg vs. Boston College, 2014 %
Four Touchdown Passes:	Trace McSorley vs. USC, 2017 ^
Five Touchdown Passes:	Rashard Casey vs. Louisiana Tech, 2000
Four Interceptions Thrown:	Zack Mills at Boston College, 2004
300+ Yards Total Offense:	364, Trace McSorley (384 P, -20 R) vs. Wisconsin, 2016 &
350+ Yards Total Offense:	364, Trace McSorley (384 P, -20 R) vs. Wisconsin, 2016 &
400+ Yards Total Offense:	408, Trace McSorley (335 P, 73 R) vs. Minnesota, 2016
100+ Yards Receiving:	187, Chris Godwin vs. USC ^
150+ Yards Receiving:	187, Chris Godwin vs. USC ^
200+ Yards Receiving:	216, Deon Butler vs. Northwestern, 2006
Two Players w/ 100 Yards Receiving:	Saeed Blacknall (155) & DaeSean Hamilton (118) vs. Wisconsin, 2016 &
Two Players w/ 150 Yards Receiving:	Geno Lewis (173) & DaeSean Hamilton (165) vs. UCF, 2014 #
Back-to-Back 100 Yards Receiving Games:	Chris Godwin, 2015 (103 at Ohio State; 135 vs. Maryland)
Three Straight 100-yard Receiving Games:	Allen Robinson, 2013 (133 vs. Syracuse; 129 vs. Eastern Michigan; 143 vs. UCF)
10+ Receptions:	14, DaeSean Hamilton vs. Ohio State, 2014
50+ Yard Reception:	72, Chris Godwin from Trace McSorley vs. USC, 2017 ^
60+ Yard Reception:	72, Chris Godwin from Trace McSorley vs. USC, 2017 ^
70+ Yard Reception:	72, Chris Godwin from Trace McSorley vs. USC, 2017 ^
80+ Yard Reception:	80, Irvin Charles from Trace McSorley vs. Minnesota, 2016
Three Touchdowns Receiving:	Allen Robinson vs. Indiana, 2012
Four Touchdowns Receiving:	Bobby Engram vs. Minnesota, 1993
150+ All-Purpose Yards:	306, Saquon Barkley vs. USC, 2017 ^
200+ All-Purpose Yards:	306, Saquon Barkley vs. USC, 2017 ^
250+ All-Purpose Yards:	306, Saquon Barkley vs. USC, 2017 ^
Five Touchdowns Scored:	5 (4 rushing, 1 receiving) Saquon Barkley at Pitt, 2016
Kickoff Return For Touchdown:	95, Chaz Powell vs. Indiana State, 2011
Rushing, Receiving & Kickoff Return TDs:	Derrick Williams vs. Illinois, 2008
100-Yard Kickoff Return:	100, Chaz Powell vs. Youngstown State, 2010
Punt Return For Touchdown:	63, Derrick Williams at Wisconsin, 2008
80-Yard Punt Return:	81, Bryant Johnson vs. Michigan State, 2002
Zero Punts in a Game:	Purdue, 2013
Multiple Interceptions:	2, Trevor Williams at Rutgers, 2014
90-Yard Interception Return:	99, Michael Mauti, at Illinois, 2012
Interception Return For Touchdown:	30, Amani Oruwariye vs. Kent State, 2016
Five Interceptions in a Game (Team):	at Rutgers, 2014
Fumble Return For Touchdown:	9 yards, Torrence Brown at Indiana, 2016
Blocked Field Goal:	Marcus Allen vs. Ohio State, 2016
Blocked Field Goal For Touchdown:	60 yards, Grant Haley vs. Ohio State, 2016 (Marcus Allen block)
Blocked Extra Point:	Parker Cothren at Northwestern, 2015
Blocked Punt:	Juwan Johnson at Rutgers, 2016
Blocked Punt For Touchdown:	0 yards, Michael Yancich vs. Ohio State, 2012 (Mike Hull block)
Safety:	Devon Still (sack in end zone) at Minnesota, 2010
50-Yard Field Goal:	50, Sam Ficken vs. Temple, 2014
Four Field Goals:	Tyler Davis at Rutgers, 2016
Five Field Goals:	Collin Wagner vs. Temple, 2010

### OPPONENT

100+ Yards Rushing:	164, Corey Clement, Wisconsin, 2016 &
150+ Yards Rushing:	164, Corey Clement, Wisconsin, 2016 &
200+ Yards Rushing:	203, BenJarvus Green-Ellis, Indiana, 2003
30-34 Rushing Attempts:	30, Jeremy Langford, Michigan State, 2014
35+ Rushing Attempts:	44, Mike Hart, Michigan, 2007 (OR)
Three Touchdowns Rushing:	Trevor Siemian, Northwestern, 2014
Four Touchdowns Rushing:	Montee Ball, Wisconsin, 2011
50+ Yard Run:	67, Corey Clement, Wisconsin, 2016 &
60+ Yard Run:	67, Corey Clement, Wisconsin, 2016 &
70+ Yard Run:	74, Curtis Samuel, Ohio State, 2016
Two Players Rush For 100 Yards:	Rodney Smith (104) & Shannon Brooks (100) Minnesota, 2016
300+ Yards Passing:	453, Sam Darnold, USC, 2017 ^
400+ Yards Passing:	453, Sam Darnold, USC, 2017 ^
500+ Yards Passing:	532, Case Keenum, Houston, 2012 (OR) *
25-29 Pass Completions:	28, J.T. Barrett, Ohio State, 2016
30-44 Pass Completions:	33, Sam Darnold, USC, 2017 ^
45+ Pass Completions:	45, Case Keenum, Houston, 2012 (OR) *
30-39 Pass Attempts:	34, Wilton Speight, Michigan, 2016
40-49 Pass Attempts:	40, Richard Lagow, Indiana, 2016
50+ Pass Attempts:	53, Sam Darnold, USC, 2017 ^
60+ Pass Attempts:	61, Brian Hoyer, Michigan State, 2006
Four Touchdown Passes:	Sam Darnold (5), USC, 2017 ^
Five Touchdown Passes:	Sam Darnold, USC, 2017 ^
Four Interceptions Thrown:	P.J. Walker, Temple, 2014
Five Interceptions Thrown:	Gary Nova, Rutgers, 2014
300+ Yards Total Offense:	473, Sam Darnold (453 P, 20 R), USC, 2017 ^
400+ Yards Total Offense:	473, Sam Darnold (453 P, 20 R), USC, 2017 ^
500+ Yards Total Offense:	542, C. Keenum (532 P, 10 R), Houston, 2012 (OR) *
100+ Yards Receiving:	164, Deonta Burnett & 133, JuJu Smith-Schuster, USC, 2017 ^
150+ Yards Receiving:	164, Deonta Burnett, USC, 2017 ^
200+ Yards Receiving:	228, Patrick Edwards, Houston, 2012 *
10+ Receptions:	13, Deonta Burnett, USC, 2017 ^
70+ Yard Reception:	75, Jalen Fitzpatrick from P.J. Walker, Temple, 2014
80+ Yard Reception:	80, D. Barnes from K. Hess, Youngstown State, 2010
90+ Yard Reception:	99, Thomas Lewis from John Paci, Indiana, 1993
Three Touchdown Receptions:	Deonta Burnett, USC, 2017 ^
Kickoff Return For Touchdown:	96, Solomon Vault, Northwestern, 2015
90-Yard Kickoff Return:	96, Solomon Vault, Northwestern, 2015
100-Yard Kickoff Return:	100, Rashaad Penny, San Diego State, 2015
Punt Return For Touchdown:	75, Venric Mark, Northwestern, 2012
70-Yard Punt Return:	75, Venric Mark, Northwestern, 2012
80-Yard Punt Return:	87, Willie Reid, Florida State, 2006 Orange
Interception Return For Touchdown:	13, Malik McDowell, Michigan State, 2015
Fumble Return For Touchdown:	12, Ryan Connelly, Wisconsin, 2016 &
Blocked Punt:	Lorenzo Harrison, Maryland, 2016
Blocked Punt For Touchdown:	27, Lerentee McCray, Florida, 2011 §
Blocked Field Goal:	Josey Jewell, Iowa, 2016
Blocked Extra Point:	Rob Bain (2X), Illinois, 2015
Safety:	Team (snap out of the end zone on punt), Ohio State, 2016
Defensive Extra Point:	99, D.J. Johnson, Iowa, 2002
50-Yard Field Goal:	50, Derek Dimke, Illinois, 2010
Four Field Goals:	Michael Geiger, Michigan State, 2016

^ - Rose Bowl  
 \$ - Outback Bowl  
 \* - TicketCity Bowl  
 # - Croke Park Classic (Dublin, Ireland)  
 % - Pinstripe Bowl  
 & - Big Ten Championship Game  
 (OR) - Opponent Record

## TACKLE BREAKDOWN

## ► RUSHING TACKLES

Allen, Marcus	74
Bell, Brandon	57
Cabinda, Jason	55
Bowen, Manny	39
Golden, Malik	39
Smith, Brandon	36
Sickels, Garrett	30
Brown, Torrence	24
Schwan, Evan	22
Cothren, Parker	21
Windsor, Robert	21
Brown, Cam	18
Reid, John	17
Miller, Shareef	17
Apke, Troy	16
Cothran, Curtis	16
Givens, Kevin	16
Campbell, Christian	15
White, Antoine	13
Buchholz, Ryan	12
Chavis, Tyrell	12
Farmer, Koa	12
Cooper, Jake	11
Wartman-White, Nyeem	11
Haley, Grant	11
Oruwariye, Amani	10
Smith, Jordan	10
Castagna, Colin	2
Johnson, Jan	1
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>634</b>

## ► PASSING TACKLES

Golden, Malik	35
Allen, Marcus	35
Bowen, Manny	26
Haley, Grant	26
Bell, Brandon	26
Cabinda, Jason	25
Reid, John	18
Smith, Brandon	16
Campbell, Christian	13
Oruwariye, Amani	9
Smith, Jordan	9
Farmer, Koa	9
Brown, Cam	8
Sickels, Garrett	7
Apke, Troy	7
Brown, Torrence	5
Givens, Kevin	4
Cothran, Curtis	4
Cooper, Jake	4
Cothren, Parker	2
Wartman-White, Nyeem	2
Schwan, Evan	2
Miller, Shareef	2
Buchholz, Ryan	1
Chavis, Tyrell	1
White, Antoine	1
Johnson, Jan	1
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>298</b>

## ► SPECIAL TEAMS TACKLES

	Total	KO	Punt
Monroe, Ayron	12	10	2
Johnson, Juwan	9	8	1
Scott, Nick	8	6	2
Walker, Von	7	6	1
Brown, Cam	6	6	0
Apke, Troy	5	4	1
Farmer, Koa	5	5	0
Miller, Jarvis	5	5	0
Charles, Irvin	4	2	2
Oruwariye, Amani	4	4	0
Smith, Jordan	4	3	1
Campbell, Christian	3	3	0
Julius, Joey	3	3	0
Taylor, Garrett	2	1	1
Haley, Grant	2	0	2
Smith, Brandon	1	1	0
Sickels, Garrett	1	0	1
Gillikin, Blake	1	0	1
Bentley, Gordon	1	0	1
Bell, Brandon	1	1	0
Dowrey, Derek	1	0	1
McPearson, Josh	1	1	0
Bowen, Manny	1	0	1
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>18</b>

## RECORD WATCH

## RUSHING YARDAGE, CAREER

1. 3,932	Evan Royster, 2007-10
2. 3,398	Curt Warner, 1979-82
3. 3,320	Tony Hunt, 2003-06
4. 3,301	Blair Thomas, 1985-87, 89
5. 3,256	Curtis Enis, 1995-97
6. 3,227	D.J. Dozier, 1983-86
7. 2,953	Larry Johnson, 1999-2002
8. 2,934	Lydell Mitchell, 1969-71
9. 2,829	Ki-Jana Carter, 1992-94
10. 2,818	Matt Suhey, 1976-79
11. 2,639	John Cappelletti, 1972-73
12. <b>2,572</b>	<b>Saquon Barkley, 2015-pres.</b>
13. 2,518	Eric McCoo, 1998-2001
14. 2,380	Lenny Moore, 1953-55

## RUSHING YARDAGE, SEASON

1. 2,087	Larry Johnson, 2002
2. 1,567	Lydell Mitchell, 1971
3. 1,539	Ki-Jana Carter, 1994
4. 1,522	John Cappelletti, 1973
5. <b>1,496</b>	<b>Saquon Barkley, 2016</b>
6. 1,414	Blair Thomas, 1987
7. 1,386	Tony Hunt, 2006
8. 1,363	Curtis Enis, 1997
9. 1,341	Blair Thomas, 1989
10. 1,329	Rodney Kinlaw, 2007
11. 1,241	Silas Redd, 2011
12. 1,236	Evan Royster, 2008
13. 1,210	Curtis Enis, 1996
14. 1,169	Evan Royster, 2009
15. 1,117	John Cappelletti, 1972
16. 1,082	Lenny Moore, 1954
17. 1,076	Saquon Barkley, 2015

## RUSHING YARDAGE, GAME

1. 327	Larry Johnson at Indiana, 2002
2. 279	Larry Johnson vs. Illinois, 2002
279	Larry Johnson vs. Michigan St., 2002
4. 257	Larry Johnson vs. Northwestern, 2002
5. 256	Curt Warner at Syracuse, 1981
6. 250	Shorty Miller vs. Carnegie Tech, 1913
7. 243	Bob Pollard at Rutgers, 1951
8. 241	Curtis Enis vs. USC, 1996
9. 239	Bob Campbell vs. Syracuse, 1968
10. 238	Curt Warner at Nebraska, 1981
11. 227	Ki-Jana Carter vs. Michigan St., 1994
12. 225	Matt Suhey vs. Army, 1979
13. 220	John Cappelletti vs. N.C. State, 1973
14. 214	Blair Thomas vs. Notre Dame, 1987
15. 211	Lydell Mitchell at Iowa, 1971
211	Curtis Enis vs. Ohio State, 1997
211	Eric McCoo vs. Ohio State, 1999
18. 210	Ki-Jana Carter at Minnesota, 1994
19. 209	Lydell Mitchell vs. Maryland, 1971
20. 208	Shelly Hammonds at Boston College, 1990
<b>21. 207</b>	<b>Saquon Barkley at Purdue, 2016</b>
22. 206	Eric McCoo vs. Michigan State, 1998
23. 204	John Cappelletti vs. Ohio U., 1973
24. 202	John Cappelletti at Maryland, 1973
<b>202</b>	<b>Saquon Barkley vs. Maryland, 2016</b>
26. 201	Bill Belton vs. Illinois, 2013

## RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS, CAREER

1. 38	Lydell Mitchell, 1969-71
2. 36	Curtis Enis, 1995-97
3. 34	Ki-Jana Carter, 1992-94
4. 30	Charlie Pittman, 1967-69
5. 29	John Cappelletti, 1972-73
29	Richie Anderson, 1989-92
29	Evan Royster, 2007-10
8. 26	Matt Suhey, 1976-79
26	Larry Johnson, 1999-2002
10. 25	D.J. Dozier, 1983-86
25	Tony Hunt, 2003-06
<b>25</b>	<b>Saquon Barkley, 2015-pres.</b>

## RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS, SEASON

1. 26	Lydell Mitchell, 1971
2. 23	Ki-Jana Carter, 1994
3. 20	Larry Johnson, 2002
4. 19	Curtis Enis, 1997
5. 18	Richie Anderson, 1992
<b>18</b>	<b>Saquon Barkley, 2016</b>
6. 17	John Cappelletti, 1973
8. 14	Charlie Pittman, 1968
9. 13	Curtis Enis, 1996
13	Bull McCleary, 1907
13	Harry Robb, 1917
13	Curtis Enis, 1996

## RUSHING TD BY A SOPHOMORE

1. <b>18</b>	<b>Saquon Barkley, 2016</b>
2. 13	Bull McCleary, 1907
13	Harry Robb, 1917
13	Curtis Enis, 1996
5. 12	Evan Royster, 2008

## 100-YARD RUSHING GAMES, CAREER

1. 18	Curt Warner, 1979-82
2. 17	Ki-Jana Carter, 1993-94
17	Curtis Enis, 1995-97
17	Blair Thomas, 1986-89
5. 15	Tony Hunt, 2004-06
15	Lydell Mitchell, 1969-71
15	Evan Royster, 2007-10
8. 13	John Cappelletti, 1972-73
9. 12	Lenny Moore, 1953-55
10. 11	D.J. Dozier, 1983-86
11. 11	Zach Zwinak, 2012-13
12. 10	Charlie Pittman, 1967-69
<b>10</b>	<b>Saquon Barkley, 2015-pres.</b>

## 200-YARD RUSHING GAMES, CAREER

1. 4	Larry Johnson, 2002
2. 3	John Cappelletti, 1973
3. 2	Lydell Mitchell, 1971
2	Curt Warner, 1981
2	Ki-Jana Carter, 1994
2	Curtis Enis, 1996-97
2	Eric McCoo, 1997-98
<b>2</b>	<b>Saquon Barkley, 2015-pres.</b>

## LONGEST RUSHING PLAYS

1. 92*	Blair Thomas, vs. Syracuse 1986
92	Bill Belton at Indiana, 2014
3. 90	Bill Suter at Navy, 1894
4. 87	Bob Campbell vs. Syracuse, 1968
5. 86	Bob Riggle at West Virginia, 1964
6. 84	Chafie Fields vs. Texas, 1997
84	Larry Johnson, vs. Illinois, 2002
8. 83	Ki-Jana Carter vs. Oregon, 1995
<b>9. 81</b>	<b>Saquon Barkley at Purdue, 2016</b>

\* not a touchdown

# 2016 SEASON IN REVIEW

## RECORD WATCH

### PASS COMPLETIONS, SEASON

1.	270	Matt McGloin, 2012
2.	270	Christian Hackenberg, 2014
3.	234	Anthony Morelli, 2007
4.	232	Darryl Clark, 2009
5.	231	Christian Hackenberg, 2013
6.	<b>224</b>	<b>Trace McSorley, 2016</b>
7.	208	Anthony Morelli, 2006
8.	192	Darryl Clark, 2008
9.	192	Christian Hackenberg, 2015
10.	193	Wally Richardson, 1995

### PASSING ATTEMPTS, SEASON

1.	484	Christian Hackenberg, 2014
2.	446	Matt McGloin, 2012
3.	402	Anthony Morelli, 2007
4.	392	Christian Hackenberg, 2013
5.	<b>387</b>	<b>Trace McSorley, 2016</b>
6.	386	Anthony Morelli, 2006
7.	381	Darryl Clark, 2009
8.	359	Christian Hackenberg, 2015
9.	335	Wally Richardson, 1995
10.	333	Zack Mills, 2002

### PASSING YARDS, CAREER

1.	8,457	Christian Hackenberg, 2013-15
2.	7,212	Zack Mills, 2001-04
3.	6,385	Matt McGloin, 2009-12
4.	5,869	Tony Saccia, 1988-91
5.	5,742	Darryl Clark, 2006-09
6.	5,382	Chuck Fusina, 1975-78
7.	5,304	Kerry Collins, 1991-94
8.	5,275	Anthony Morelli, 2004-07
9.	4,812	Todd Blackledge, 1980-82
10.	4,419	Wally Richardson, 1992, 94-96
<b>11.</b>	<b>3,799</b>	<b>Trace McSorley, 2015-pres.</b>
12.	3,710	Kevin Thompson, 1996-99
13.	3,545	John Hufnagel, 1970-72
14.	3,531	Michael Robinson, 2002-05
15.	3,469	John Shaffer, 1983-86

### PASSING YARDS, SEASON

1.	<b>3,614</b>	<b>Trace McSorley, 2016</b>
2.	3,266	Matt McGloin, 2012
3.	3,003	Darryl Clark, 2009
4.	2,977	Christian Hackenberg, 2014
5.	2,955	Christian Hackenberg, 2013
6.	2,679	Kerry Collins, 1994
7.	2,651	Anthony Morelli, 2007
8.	2,592	Darryl Clark, 2008
9.	2,525	Christian Hackenberg, 2015
10.	2,488	Tony Saccia, 1991

### PASSING YARDS, GAME

1.	454	Christian Hackenberg vs. UCF, 2014
2.	399	Zack Mills vs. Iowa, 2002
3.	395	Matt McGloin vs. Indiana, 2012
<b>4.</b>	<b>384</b>	<b>Trace McSorley vs. Wisconsin, 2016</b>
5.	379	Michael Robinson vs. Wisconsin, 2003
<b>6.</b>	<b>376</b>	<b>Trace McSorley vs. Michigan St., 2016</b>
7.	371	Christian Hackenberg vs. Boston Coll., 2014
8.	366	Mike McQueary vs. Pitt, 1997
9.	358	Todd Blackledge at Miami (Fla.), 1981
10.	353	Darryl Clark vs. Akron, 2009
11.	352	Kerry Collins at Michigan State, 1993
12.	341	Darryl Clark vs. Michigan State, 2008
13.	340	Christian Hackenberg at Indiana, 2013
14.	339	Christian Hackenberg at Wisconsin, 2013
<b>15.</b>	<b>335</b>	<b>Trace McSorley vs. Minnesota, 2016</b>
<b>16.</b>	<b>332</b>	<b>Trace McSorley at Pitt, 2016</b>
		<b>332 Trace McSorley at Indiana, 2016</b>

### PASSING TOUCHDOWNS, SEASON

1.	29	<b>Trace McSorley, 2016</b>
2.	24	Darryl Clark, 2009
	24	Matt McGloin, 2012
4.	22	Todd Blackledge, 1982
5.	21	Tony Saccia, 1991
	21	Kerry Collins, 1994
7.	20	Christian Hackenberg, 2013
8.	19	Doug Strang, 1983
	19	Anthony Morelli, 2007
	19	Darryl Clark, 2008

### PASSING TOUCHDOWNS, CAREER

1.	48	Christian Hackenberg	2013-15
2.	46	Matt McGloin	2009-12
3.	43	Darryl Clark	2006-09
4.	41	Todd Blackledge	1980-82
	41	Tony Saccia	1988-91
	41	Zack Mills	2001-04
7.	39	Kerry Collins	1991-94
8.	37	Chuck Fusina	1975-78
9.	31	Anthony Morelli	2004-07
<b>31</b>	<b>Trace McSorley</b>	<b>2015-pres.</b>	

### 300-YARD PASSING GAMES, CAREER

1.	9	Christian Hackenberg, 2013-15
2.	6	Matt McGloin, 2009-12
<b>3.</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>Trace McSorley, 2015-pres.</b>
4.	4	Kerry Collins, 1991-94
5.	3	Darryl Clark, 2006-09

### 300-YARD PASSING GAMES, SEASON

1.	5	<b>Trace McSorley, 2016</b>
2.	4	Matt McGloin, 2012
	4	Christian Hackenberg, 2013
	4	Christian Hackenberg, 2014
5.	2	Kerry Collins, 1994
	2	Darryl Clark, 2009

### 200-YARD PASSING GAMES, CAREER

1.	21	Christian Hackenberg, 2013-15
2.	18	Matt McGloin, 2009-12
3.	16	Kerry Collins, 1991-94
	16	Zack Mills, 2001-04
5.	14	Darryl Clark, 2006-09
6.	11	Chuck Fusina, 1975-78
	11	Tony Saccia, 1988-91
11.	11	Anthony Morelli, 2004-07
<b>11.</b>	<b>Trace McSorley, 2015-pres.</b>	

### 200-YARD PASSING GAMES, SEASON

1.	11	Matt McGloin, 2012
<b>2.</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>Trace McSorley, 2016</b>
2.	10	Kerry Collins, 1994
4.	9	Christian Hackenberg, 2013
5.	8	Darryl Clark, 2009
6.	7	Todd Blackledge, 1982
	7	Michael Robinson, 2005
8.	6	Wally Richardson, 1995
	6	Mike McQueary, 1997

### PASSING EFFICIENCY, CAREER

<b>1.</b>	<b>152.1</b>	<b>Trace McSorley, 2015-pres.</b>
2.	145.6	Mike McQueary, 1994-97
3.	140.8	John Hufnagel, 1970-72
4.	140.4	Darryl Clark, 2006-09
5.	137.3	Kerry Collins, 1991-94
6.	136.7	Tom Shuman, 1972-74
7.	132.5	Chuck Fusina, 1975-78
8.	128.3	Matt McGloin, 2009-12
9.	127.7	Pete Liske, 1961-63
10.	127.0	Tom Bill, 1987-90

### PASSING EFFICIENCY, SEASON

<b>1.</b>	172.9	Kerry Collins, 1994
<b>2.</b>	<b>156.9</b>	<b>Trace McSorley, 2016</b>
3.	151.8	John Hufnagel, 1971
4.	149.8	Tony Saccia, 1991
5.	148.0	John Hufnagel, 1972
6.	146.4	Chuck Fusina, 1977
7.	145.0	Mike McQueary, 1997
8.	143.7	Tom Shuman, 1973
9.	143.4	Darryl Clark, 2008
10.	142.6	Darryl Clark, 2009

### INT. PERCENTAGE, CAREER

<b>1.</b>	<b>1.87</b>	<b>Trace McSorley, 2015-pres.</b>
2.	2.02	Wally Richardson, 1992, 94-96
3.	2.10	Matt McGloin, 2009-12
4.	2.14	Anthony Morelli, 2004-07
5.	2.17	Darryl Clark, 2006-09
6.	2.31	John Saccia, 1992-93
	2.31	Anthony Morelli, 2004-07
8.	2.51	Christian Hackenberg, 2013-15
9.	2.82	Pete Liske, 1961-63
10.	2.83	Rashard Casey, 1997-2000

### INT. PERCENTAGE, SEASON

1.	1.12	Matt McGloin, 2012
3.	1.46	Kerry Collins, 1992
4.	1.67	Christian Hackenberg, 2015
5.	1.71	Tony Saccia, 1991
6.	1.79	Wally Richardson, 1995
7.	1.86	Darryl Clark, 2008
8.	1.94	John Saccia, 1992
9.	1.96	John Shaffer, 1986
<b>10.</b>	<b>2.07</b>	<b>Trace McSorley, 2016</b>
11.	2.07	Anthony Morelli, 2006
12.	2.20	Allen Robinson, 2013
13.	2.21	Chris Godwin, 2015
14.	2.24	Bobby Engram, 1995
15.	2.029	Bobby Engram, 1994
16.	1.013	Allen Robinson, 2012
<b>6.</b>	<b>982</b>	<b>Chris Godwin, 2016</b>
7.	977	O.J. McDuffie, 1992
8.	973	Freddie Scott, 1994
9.	917	Bryant Johnson, 2002
10.	899	DaeSean Hamilton, 2014
11.	885	Derek Moye, 2010
12.	873	Bobby Engram, 1993
13.	869	Joe Jurevicius, 1996
14.	866	Bryant Johnson, 2001
15.	846	Terry Smith, 1991
16.	817	Joe Jurevicius, 1997
17.	810	Deon Butler, 2008
18.	790	O.J. McDuffie, 1991
19.	785	Derek Moye, 2009
20.	751	Geno Lewis, 2014

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## RECEIVING YARDAGE, CAREER

1.	3,026	Bobby Engram, 1991, 93-95
2.	2,771	Deon Butler, 2005-08
3.	2,474	Allen Robinson, 2011-13
<b>4.</b>	<b>2,404</b>	<b>Chris Godwin, 2014-16</b>
5.	2,395	Derek Moye, 2008-11
6.	2,015	Jordan Norwood, 2005-08
7.	2,008	Bryant Johnson, 1999-2002
8.	2,006	Kenny Jackson, 1980-83
9.	1,988	O.J. McDuffie, 1988-92
<b>10.</b>	<b>1,985</b>	<b>DaeSean Hamilton, 2014-pres.</b>

## RECEPTIONS, SEASON

1.	97	Allen Robinson, 2013
2.	82	DaeSean Hamilton, 2014
3.	77	Allen Robinson, 2012
4.	69	Chris Godwin, 2015
5.	63	O.J. McDuffie, 1992
63	Bobby Engram, 1995	
<b>7.</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>Chris Godwin, 2016</b>
8.	55	Terry Smith, 1991
55	Derrick Williams, 2007	
55	Geno Lewis, 2014	
11.	53	Derek Moye, 2010
12.	52	Bobby Engram, 1994
13.	51	Bryant Johnson, 2002
14.	48	Bobby Engram, 1993
48	Bryant Johnson, 2002	
48	Deon Butler, 2006	
48	Derek Moye, 2009	
<b>48</b>	<b>Mike Gesicki, 2016</b>	

## RECEPTIONS, CAREER

1.	179	Deon Butler, 2005-08
2.	177	Allen Robinson, 2011-13
3.	167	Bobby Engram, 1991, 93-95
4.	161	Derrick Williams, 2005-08
<b>161</b>	<b>DaeSean Hamilton, 2014-pres.</b>	
6.	158	Jordan Norwood, 2005-08
<b>7.</b>	<b>154</b>	<b>Chris Godwin, 2014-pres.</b>
8.	144	Derek Moye, 2008-11
9.	125	O.J. McDuffie, 1988-92
10.	117	Jack Curry, 1965-67

## RECEIVING TOUCHDOWNS, SEASON

1.	13	Bobby Engram, 1993
2.	11	Bobby Engram, 1995
11	Allen Robinson, 2012	
<b>11</b>	<b>Chris Godwin, 2016</b>	
5.	10	Joe Jurevicius, 1997
6.	9	O.J. McDuffie, 1992
9	Freddie Scott, 1994	
9	Deon Butler, 2005	
9.	8	Terry Smith, 1991
8	Derek Moye, 2010	

## RECEIVING TOUCHDOWNS, CAREER

1.	31	Bobby Engram, 1991, 93-95
2.	25	Kenny Jackson, 1980-83
3.	22	Deon Butler, 2005-08
4.	18	Derek Moye, 2008-11
<b>18</b>	<b>Chris Godwin, 2014-16</b>	
6.	17	Allen Robinson, 2011-13
7.	16	O.J. McDuffie, 1988-92
8.	15	Terry Smith, 1988-91
15	Joe Jurevicius, 1994-97	
10.	13	Jordan Norwood, 2005-08

## SCORING, SEASON

	Points	TD	PAT	FG	
1.	174	29	0	0	Lydell Mitchell, 1971
2.	140	23	**0	0	Larry Johnson, 2002
3.	138	23	0	0	Ki-Jana Carter, 1994
<b>4.</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>Saquon Barkley, 2016</b>
<b>5.</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>Tyler Davis, 2016</b>
6.	122	20	**0	0	Curtis Enis, 1997
7.	120	0	60	20	Kevin Kelly, 2008
8.	119	11	—	—	Pete Mauthie, 1909
9.	116	19	**0	0	Richie Anderson, 1992
10.	110	1	44	20	Kevin Kelly, 2007
11.	107	0	44	21	Travis Forney, 1999
12.	102	17	0	0	John Cappelletti, 1973

## SCORING, GAME

	Points	TD	PAT	FG	
1.	36	6	0	0	H. Robb vs. Gettysburg, 1917
2.	33	4	9	0	C. Forkum at Pitt, 1903
3.	*32	3	10	0	C. Atherton vs. Gettysburg, 1894
4.	30	5	0	0	S. Miller vs. Carnegie Tech, 1913
30	5	0	0	0	L. Mitchell at Navy, 1971
30	5	0	0	0	L. Mitchell vs. Maryland, 1971
30	5	0	0	0	K. Carter vs. Michigan St., 1994
30	5	0	0	0	S. Barkley at Pitt, 2016
9.	28	4	4	0	J. Roepke vs. Gettysburg, 1927
10.	25	4	1	0	T. Sherman vs. Cal, 1966

\*Prior to 1897, 4 pts. were awarded for TDs and 2 pts. for PATs

## TOTAL OFFENSE, CAREER

	Total	Rush	Pass	
1.	8215	-242	8457	Christian Hackenberg, 2013-15
2.	7796	584	7212	Zack Mills, 2001-04
3.	6361	619	5742	Darryl Clark, 2006-09
4.	6000	131	5869	Tony Saccà, 1988-91
5.	5745	-59	5804	Matt McGloin, 2009-12
6.	5300	-4	5304	Kerry Collins, 1991-94
7.	5168	1637	3531	Michael Robinson, 2002-05
8.	5162	-220	5382	Chuck Fusina, 1975-78
9.	5154	-121	5275	Anthony Morelli, 2004-07
10.	4911	99	4812	Todd Blackledge, 1980-82
11.	4212	667	3545	John Hufnagel, 1970-72
<b>12.</b>	<b>4207</b>	<b>408</b>	<b>3799</b>	<b>Trace McSorley, 2015-pres.</b>
13.	4182	-237	4419	Wally Richardson, 1992, 94-96

## PUNTING AVERAGE, CAREER

(Minimum 45 punts)				
1.	43.1	Jeremy Boone, 2007-09		
2.	43.0	George Reynolds, 1980-83		
<b>3.</b>	<b>42.8</b>	<b>Blake Gillikin, 2016-pres.</b>		
4.	41.8	Ralph Giacomarri, 1979-82		
5.	41.8	Pat Pidgeon, 1996-99		
6.	41.7	John Bruno Jr., 1984-86		
41.7	Jeremy Kapinos, 2003-06			
41.7	Anthony Fera, 2010-11			
9.	40.5	Chris Clauss, 1987		
10.	40.0	David Royer, 1999-2002		
11.	39.0	Doug Helkowski, 1988-91		
12.	38.9	Bob Parsons, 1969-71		
<b>13.</b>	<b>38.7</b>	<b>Daniel Pasquariello, 2014-pres.</b>		

## TOTAL OFFENSE, GAME

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	Total	Rush	Pass	
1.	456	2	454	C. Hackenberg vs. UCF, 2014
2.	418	138	280	Z. Mills vs. Ohio State, 2001
<b>3.</b>	<b>408</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>335</b>	<b>T. McSorley vs. Minnesota, 2016</b>
4.	398	19	379	M. Robinson vs. Wisconsin, 2003
5.	389	-10	399	Z. Mills vs. Iowa, 2002
<b>389</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>376</b>	<b>T. McSorley vs. Michigan St., 2016</b>	
7.	369	67	302	R. Casey vs. Iowa, 2000
<b>8.</b>	<b>364</b>	<b>-20</b>	<b>364</b>	<b>T. McSorley vs. Wisconsin, 2016</b>
9.	363	92	271	J. Hufnagel at Boston College, 1972
363	125	238	238	M. Robinson vs. Wisconsin, 2005
363	-32	395	395	M. McGloin, vs. Indiana, 2012

## FIELD GOALS, SEASON

	FG	FGA	Pct.	
1.	24	29	82.8	Sam Ficken, 2014
2.	22	27	81.5	Matt Bahr, 1978
22	34	64.7	Kevin Kelly, 2006	
<b>22</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>91.7</b>	<b>Tyler Davis, 2016</b>	
5.	21	26	80.8	Massimo Manca, 1985
21	26	80.8	Travis Forney, 1999	

## FIELD GOALS, CAREER

	FG	FGA	Pct.	
1.	78	107	72.9	Kevin Kelly, 2005-08
2.	54	75	72	Sam Ficken, 2011-14
3.	50	80	62.5	Craig Fayak, 1990-93
4.	47	63	74.6	Travis Forney, 1996-99
5.	45	61	73.7	Brett Conway, 1993-96
6.	40	59	67.6	Massimo Manca, 1982, 84-86
7.	39	61	63.9	Matt Bahr, 1976-78
39	61	63.9	Robbie Gould, 2001-04	
9.	38	49	77.6	Nick Gancitano, 1981-84
10.	36	48	75	Collin Wagner, 2007-10
11.	35	63	55.6	Chris Bahr, 1973-75
<b>12.</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>93.8</b>	<b>Tyler Davis, 2015-pres.</b>
13.	29	41	70.7	Herb Menhardt, 1978-80

## PUNTING AVERAGE, SEASON

1.	43.6	Ralph Giacomarri, 1981
2.	43.3	Ralph Giacomarri, 1980
43.3	Jeremy Boone, 2009	
4.	43.0	Jeremy Boone, 2007
43.0	Jeremy Boone, 2008	
6.	42.9	John Bruno Jr., 1985
<b>7.</b>	<b>42.8</b>	<b>Blake Gillikin, 2016</b>
8.	42.6	George Reynolds, 1983
42.6	Pat Pidgeon, 1997	
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## TACKLES, GAME

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# 2016 SEASON IN REVIEW

## AWARDS & HONORS

### MARCUS ALLEN, SAFETY

All-Big Ten Third Team (Coaches), Honorable Mention (Media)  
Phil Steele All-Big Ten Third Team  
Athlon Sports All-Big Ten Third Team  
Big Ten Co-Special Teams Player of the Week (Oct. 24)  
Big Ten Co-Defensive Player of the Week (Oct. 3)  
Big Ten Rose Bowl Game Player of the Week (Oct. 3)

### SAQUON BARKLEY, RUNNING BACK

Sporting News All-America Second Team  
AP All-America Third Team  
Athlon All-America Third Team  
Phil Steele All-America Third Team  
Campus Insiders Sophomore All-America First Team  
Maxwell Award Semifinalist (Nat'l Player of the Year)  
Doak Walker Award Semifinalist (Top RB)  
  
Big Ten Graham-George Offensive Player of the Year  
Big Ten Ameche-Dayne Running Back of the Year  
Chicago Tribune Silver Football  
All-Big Ten First Team  
AP All-Big Ten First Team  
ESPN.com All-Big Ten Team  
Phil Steele All-Big Ten First Team  
Athlon Sports All-Big Ten First Team  
ECAC Division I FBS All-Star First Team  
Pro Football Focus All-Big Ten Second Team  
College Sports Madness All-America Second Team  
  
Rose Bowl Game Big Ten Player of the Week (Nov. 7)  
CBS National Player of the Week (Oct. 30)  
Big Ten Offensive Player of the Week (Oct. 10, Oct. 31)  
Associated Press All-Bowl Team (all-purpose)  
Sports Illustrated All-Bowl Team  
Athlon All-Bowl Team  
NCAA.com All-Bowl Team  
ESPN.com Big Ten All-Bowl Team  
Big Ten Preseason Honors List

### RYAN BATES, OFFENSIVE LINE

FWAA Freshman All-America Team  
USA Today Freshman All-America Team  
Campus Insiders Freshman All-America Team Honorable Mention  
BTN.com Big Ten All-Freshman Team  
ESPN.com Big Ten All-Freshman Team  
ESPN.com Big Ten All-Bowl Team

### BRANDON BELL, LINEBACKER

All-Big Ten Honorable Mention  
Athlon Sports All-Big Ten Third Team  
Walter Camp National Defensive Player of the Week (Nov. 28)  
Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week (Oct. 24)  
College Sports Madness Nat'l Defensive Player of the Week (Oct. 23)  
Bednarik Award National Defensive Player of the Week (Oct. 27)

### GORDON BENTLEY, WIDE RECEIVER

Academic All-Big Ten

### SAEED BLACKNALL, WIDE RECEIVER

Academic All-Big Ten

### MANNY BOWEN, LINEBACKER

Academic All-Big Ten

### CAM BROWN, LINEBACKER

BTN.com All-Freshman Team  
ESPN.com All-Freshman Team

### RYAN BUCHHOLZ, DEFENSIVE TACKLE

Academic All-Big Ten

### JASON CABINDA, LINEBACKER

All-Big Ten Third Team (Coaches), Honorable Mention (Media)  
Phil Steele All-Big Ten Third Team

### JAKE COOPER, LINEBACKER

Academic All-Big Ten

### PARKER COOTHREN, DEFENSIVE TACKLE

All-Big Ten Honorable Mention (Coaches)

### TYLER DAVIS, KICKER

Vlade Award (Most Accurate Kicker)  
Lou Groza Semifinalist (Top Kicker)  
All-Big Ten First Team (Coaches), Second Team (Media)  
Phil Steele All-Big Ten First Team  
AP All-Big Ten Second Team  
Athlon Sports All-Big Ten Second Team  
Pro Football Focus All-Big Ten Second Team  
ECAC Division I FBS All-Star First Team  
Big Ten Co-Special Teams Player of the Week (Nov. 21)  
Lou Groza Nat'l. Collegiate Place Kicker Award "Stars of the Week" (Oct. 3)

### JAMES FRANKLIN, HEAD COACH

Sporting News Coach of the Year  
Woody Hayes Coach of the Year  
Maxwell Club Tri-State Coach of the Year  
Athlon Sports Big Ten Coach of the Year  
College Sports Madness Coach of the Year  
Eddie Robinson Coach of the Year Finalist  
Paul "Bear" Bryant Coach of the Year Finalist  
Associated Press Coach of the Year Finalist  
Big Ten Dave McClain Coach of the Year (media vote)  
AP Big Ten Coach of the Year  
ECAC Division I FBS Coach of the Year  
George Munger College Coach of the Year Semifinalist  
The Dodd Trophy Coach of the Week. (Oct. 24)

### BRIAN GAI, CENTER

All-Big Ten Honorable Mention  
PFF Team of the Week, Center (Nov. 14)  
Academic All-Big Ten

### GREGG GARRITY, WIDE RECEIVER

Academic All-Big Ten

### MIKE GESICKI, TIGHT END

All-Big Ten Second Team (Media), Honorable Mention (Coaches)  
Phil Steele All-Big Ten Third Team  
Athlon Sports All-Big Ten Second Team  
College Sports Madness All-America Second Team  
ECAC Division I FBS All-Star Honorable Mention

### BLAKE GILLIKIN, PUNTER

All-Big Ten Honorable Mention  
ESPN.com True Freshman All-America Team  
Campus Insiders Freshman All-America Team Honorable Mention  
BTN.com Big Ten All-Freshman Team  
ESPN.com Big Ten All-Freshman Team  
ESPN.com Big Ten All-Bowl Team

### KEVIN GIVENS, DEFENSIVE TACKLE

Campus Insiders Freshman All-America Second Team  
BTN.com Big Ten All-Freshman Team  
ESPN.com Big Ten All-Freshman Team

### CHRIS GODWIN, WIDE RECEIVER

All-Big Ten Third Team (Media), Honorable Mention (Coaches)  
Phil Steele All-Big Ten Third Team  
Athlon Sports All-Big Ten Third Team  
Pro Football Focus All-Big Ten Second Team  
NCAA.com All-Bowl Team  
Sports Illustrated All-Bowl Team  
Athlon All-Bowl Second Team  
Associated Press All-Bowl Team Honorable Mention  
ESPN.com Big Ten All-Bowl Team  
Academic All-Big Ten

### CHRIS GULLA, PUNTER

Academic All-Big Ten

### GRANT HALEY, CORNERBACK

Big Ten Co-Special Teams Player of the Week (Oct. 24)  
Big Ten Rose Bowl Game Player of the Week (Oct. 24)  
CoSIDA Academic All-District™  
Academic All-Big Ten

### DAESEAN HAMILTON, WIDE RECEIVER

Academic All-Big Ten

### CHARLES HUFF, SPECIAL TEAMS COACH

Coaching Search Special Teams Coach of the Week (Oct. 24)

### JUWAN JOHNSON, WIDE RECEIVER

Academic All-Big Ten

### ZACH LADONIS, SNAPPER

Academic All-Big Ten

### MATT LIMEGROVER, OFFENSIVE LINE COACH

Coaching Search Offensive Line Coach of the Week (Nov. 7)

### BRENDAN MAHON, TACKLE

Pro Football Focus All-Big Ten First Team  
PFF Team of the Week, Offensive Tackle (Oct. 5)  
PFF Team of the Week, Offensive Tackle (Oct. 25)

### CONNOR McGOVERN, GUARD

BTN.com All-Freshman Team Honorable Mention  
Big Ten Freshman of the Week (Nov. 7)

### TRACE MCSORLEY, QUARTERBACK

Grange-Griffin Most Valuable Player (B1G Championship)  
Campus Insiders Sophomore All-America Team Honorable Mention  
Maxwell Club Tri-State Player of the Year  
All-Big Ten Second Team  
AP All-Big Ten Second Team  
Phil Steele All-Big Ten Second Team  
Athlon Sports All-Big Ten Second Team  
Athlon Sports Big Ten Breakout Player of the Year  
Pro Football Focus All-Big Ten Second Team  
ECAC Division I FBS All-Star Honorable Mention  
CFPA National Performer of the Week (Dec. 4)  
Big Ten Offensive Player of the Week (Nov. 28)  
Rose Bowl Game Big Ten Player of the Week (Nov. 28)  
Manning Stars of the Week (Nov. 28)  
ESPN.com Big Ten All-Bowl Team  
Academic All-Big Ten

### SHAREEF MILLER, DEFENSIVE END

BTN.com Big Ten All-Freshman Team Honorable Mention

### JOE MOORHEAD, OFFENSIVE COORDINATOR

247Sports Offensive Coordinator of the Year  
Athlon Sports Big Ten Offensive Coordinator of the Year  
Football Scoop Offensive Coordinator of the Year Finalist  
Frank Broyles Award Nominee (Top Assistant Coach)

### ANDREW NELSON, TACKLE

Academic All-Big Ten

### PARIS PALMER, TACKLE

PFF Team of the Week, Offensive Tackle (Nov. 1)

### BRENT PRY, DEFENSIVE COORDINATOR

Athlon Sports Coordinator of the Week, Defense (Oct. 23)

### JOHN REID, CORNERBACK

Campus Insiders Sophomore All-America Team Honorable Mention  
All-Big Ten Honorable Mention

### MILES SANDERS, RUNNING BACK

BTN.com Big Ten All-Freshman Team Honorable Mention

### EVAN SCHWAN, DEFENSIVE END

All-Big Ten Third Team

### PHIL STEELE, ALL-BIG TEN THIRD TEAM

Associated Press All-Bowl Team Honorable Mention  
ESPN.com Big Ten All-Bowl Team  
Academic All-Big Ten

### GARRETT SICKELS, DEFENSIVE END

All-Big Ten Second Team (Coaches), Third Team (Media)  
Phil Steele All-Big Ten Third Team  
Athlon Sports All-Big Ten Third Team

### BRANDON SMITH, LINEBACKER

Pop Warner Award Finalist  
Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week (Oct. 10)  
CoSIDA Academic All-District™  
Academic All-Big Ten

### SEAN SPENCER, DEFENSIVE LINE COACH

Coaching Search Defensive Line Coach of the Week (Oct. 24)

### GARRETT TAYLOR, CORNERBACK

Academic All-Big Ten

### NYEEM WARTMAN-WHITE, LINEBACKER

Butkus Award Preseason Watch List (Top LB)

### ROBERT WINDSOR, DEFENSIVE TACKLE

BTN.com Big Ten All-Freshman Team Honorable Mention

### TYLER YAZUJIAN, SNAPPER

CoSIDA Academic All-America™ First Team  
CoSIDA Academic All-District™  
Big Ten Sportsmanship Award  
Campbell Trophy Semifinalist (Top Scholar-Athlete)  
Academic All-Big Ten

### TEAM

Lambert Trophy  
Athlon Sports Team of the Week (Oct. 23)  
FWAA Team of the Week (Oct. 24)  
United States Sports Academy's Game of the Week (Dec. 5)

### STATE COLLEGE QUARTERBACK CLUB AWARDS

#### Lions' Pride Outstanding Senior Player Award

Brandon Bell, linebacker

#### Most Valuable Player

Saquon Barkley, running back

#### Most Valuable Offensive Player

Trace McSorley, quarterback

#### Most Valuable Defensive Player

Garrett Sickels, defensive end

#### Captain's Award

Brandon Bell, linebacker

Brian Gaia, offensive lineman

Von Walker, linebacker

#### Ridge Riley Award

Gregg Garrity, wide receiver

#### Dick Maginnis Memorial Award

Brian Gaia, offensive lineman

#### Bob Mitinger Memorial Award

Von Walker, linebacker

#### Reid-Robinson Award

Evan Schwan, defensive end

#### John Bruno Memorial Award

Tyler Davis, kicker

#### Iron Lion Award

Derek Dowrey, offensive lineman

#### Outstanding Run-on Award

Tom Devenney, offensive lineman

#### Quarterback Club Special Awards

Malik Golden, safety

Jordan Smith, cornerback

Paris Palmer, offensive lineman

#### Football Letterman's Club Joe and Sue Paterno

#### Post-Graduate Scholarship

Gordon Bentley, wide receiver

#### Nittany Lion Club Academic Achievement Award

Tyler Yazjian, long snapper

#### Highest Academic Average

Gordon Bentley, wide receiver

#### Public Service Award

Charlie Shuman, offensive lineman

#### Scout Team Special Teams Player of the Year

Josh McPhearson, wide receiver

#### Scout Team Defensive Player of the Year

Shaka Toney, defensive end

Desi Davis, cornerback

#### Scout Team Offensive Player of the Year

Alex Gellerstedt, offensive lineman

Irvine Payne, running back

#### Football Support Staff Member of the Year

Jevin Stone, video director

## GAME 1

KENT STATE 13

33 PENN STATE



BEAVER STADIUM

SEPT. 3, 2016  
ATTN: 94,378

## GAME RECAP

UNIVERSITY PARK, Pa. - The Penn State defense shut down Kent State in the second half, led by six sacks and an Amani Oruwariye interception return for a touchdown, as the Nittany Lions defeated the Golden Flashes in their 2016 season opener, 33-13, in Beaver Stadium.

Penn State held a 16-13 lead at the half, but Oruwariye's 30-yard pick-six set the tone for the final two quarters, as the Nittany Lion defense held Kent State to just 118 yards the rest of the way. Linebacker Brandon Bell added an interception in Penn State territory, and seven different Lions combined for seven sacks for the game - the most by Penn State in a single game since the Northwestern game in 2011.

Sophomore quarterback Trace McSorley enjoyed a successful first career start at the helm of Penn State's new-look offense. He threw touchdown passes to DaeSean Hamilton and Mike Gesicki, connecting on 16-of-31 pass attempts for 209 yards, while also adding 47 yards on the ground. Classmate Saquon Barkley led the rushing attack, totaling 105 yards on 22 carries with one touchdown.

Penn State improves to 107-21-2 in season openers and has won 13 of its last 15. Six Nittany Lions made their first career starts (OG Ryan Bates, QB Trace McSorley, DE Evan Schwan, DT Kevin Givens, DT Parker Cothren, P Blake Gillikin), while 19 played in their first collegiate game for Penn State.

## Turning Point

After a back-and-forth first half, Oruwariye's interception return for a touchdown - Penn State's first since 2014 - gave the Nittany Lions their first two-score lead of the game.

## Difference Makers

## Penn State

- Defense - Limited Kent State's three quarterbacks to 129 yards passing and 14 completions on 28 attempts with two interceptions. Seven different Kent State rushers were limited to 150 yards on 41 attempts. The Nittany Lions did not allow a touchdown on defense against Kent State for at least the fourth consecutive game.
- QB Trace McSorley - McSorley completed 16-of-31 pass attempts for 209 yards (both career highs) and two touchdowns in his first start. He connected on a career-long pass of 43 yards to DeAndre Thompkins and was sacked just once. McSorley also added 47 yards rushing on 14 carries - the most by a Penn State quarterback in a game since Kevin Newsome had 49 yards rushing against Eastern Illinois in 2009.
- RB Saquon Barkley - Rushed for 105 yards and a touchdown on 22 carries and also caught one pass for 17 yards. It was his sixth career 100-yard rushing game.

- WR Chris Godwin - Godwin continued his consistent play catching seven passes for 67 yards. He has caught at least four passes in 13 of his last 16 games, and at least six in five of his last six games.
- TE Mike Gesicki - Gesicki enjoyed a career day, matching his career high of three receptions while totaling a career-best 42 yards receiving and making his second career touchdown reception.
- CB Amani Oruwariye - Returned an interception 30-yards for a touchdown and made two tackles. The interception and touchdown were career firsts.
- LB Brandon Bell - Second on the team with eight tackles and made an interception at the Penn State 13 at the end of the third quarter.
- DE Shareef Miller - Had 2.0 sacks and five tackles in first career game.
- S Marcus Allen - Forced the third fumble of his career and recovered the second of his career in the second quarter, leading to a Barkley touchdown.

## Kent State

- S Nate Holley - Made a game-high 17 tackles.
- DE Terrance Waugh - Stripped McSorley of the ball in the second quarter, leading to a fumble recovery for a touchdown. Also made seven tackles.

## Key Drives

PENN STATE 1st Qtr, 5:19-1:56 - TOUCHDOWN

The Nittany Lions answered a Kent State field goal with a touchdown drive after taking over at their own 21. Barkley and McSorley picked up a first down on the ground, and then McSorley found Godwin along the sidelines for a 26-yard pick-up to the Kent State 41. Back-to-back rushes by Barkley netted 13 more yards and another first down. McSorley then found Godwin for seven and rushed for nine more himself to reach the Kent State 12. Barkley rushed to the four and then McSorley connected with Hamilton in the end zone on a slant over the middle for a touchdown.

PENN STATE 2nd Qtr, 8:43-8:02 - TOUCHDOWN

After Marcus Allen forced and recovered a fumble in Kent State territory, Barkley rushed for six yards and then scampered down the right sideline, diving inside the pylon to complete a 7-yard touchdown run for a 13-6 lead.

## The Rest

Kent State tied the game midway through the second quarter with a fumble recovery for a touchdown, but a pair of Tyler Davis field goals, Oruwariye's pick six and Gesicki's touchdown iced the win.

## SCORING SUMMARY

	1	2	3	4	OT	F
<b>KSU</b>	3	10	0	0	-	13
<b>PSU</b>	6	10	10	7	-	33

1st	5:25	KSU	11-64/4:31/3-0
	Shane Hynes 26 yd field goal		
	1:56	PSU	9-79/3:23/3-6
	DaeSean Hamilton 4 yd pass from McSorley (PAT rush fail)		
2nd	11:33	KSU	10-49/5:23/6-6
	Shane Hynes 43 yd field goal		
	8:02	PSU	2-13/0:41/6-13
	Saquon Barkley 7 yd rush (Davis kick)		
	6:12	KSU	13-13
	Elcee Refuge 20 yd fumble recovery (Hynes kick)		
	1:47	PSU	12-49/4:18/13-16
	Tyler Davis 29 yd field goal		
3rd	14:05	PSU	13-23
	Amani Oruwariye 30 yd INT return (Davis kick)		
	4:22	PSU	8-49/2:39/13-26
	Tyler Davis 28 yd field goal		
4th	1:53	PSU	8-67/2:38/13-33
	Mike Gesicki 30 yd pass from McSorley (Davis kick)		

## TEAM STATS

	KSU	PSU
First Downs	16	19
Rushing Yards	150	145
Passing Yards	129	209
Passing (C-A-Int)	14-28-2	16-31-0
Total Offense	279	354
Plays	69	69
Fumbles (#-Lost)	2-1	2-1
Penalties (#-Yards)	6-47	5-55
Possession Time	32:56	27:04
3rd-Down Conv.	5-17	5-14
Red-Zone	2-3	4-5
Touchdowns	0	2
Field goals	2	2

## OTHER

Time of Game	3:27
Kent State	0-1, 0-0 MAC
Penn State	1-0, 0-0 B1G

## INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

## RUSHING

Kent State-Rankin, Justin 13-82; Price, Kavious 2-31; Mitchell, Mylik 10-27; Agner, Justin 12-7; Matthews, Will 2-6; Holley, Nick 1-4; Bollas, George 1-minus 7.  
Penn State-Barkley, Saquon 22-105; McSorley, Trace 14-47; Robinson, Andre 1-minus 2; TEAM 1-minus 5.

## PASSING

Kent State-Agner, Justin 8-15-2-64; Mitchell, Mylik 6-12-0-65; Bollas, George 0-1-0-0.  
Penn State-McSorley, Trace 16-31-0-209.

## RECEIVING

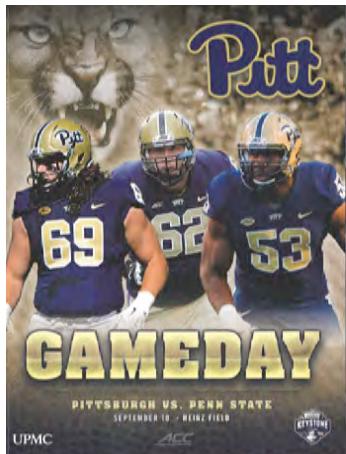
Kent State-Holley, Nick 4-45; James, Raekwon 2-44; Rankin, Justin 2-15; White, Kris 1-12; Washington, Myles 1-9; Fackler, Brice 1-7; Calhoun, Ernest 1-4; Harrell, Trey 1-minus 3; Price, Kavious 1-minus 4.  
Penn State-Godwin, Chris 7-67; Gesicki, Mike 3-49; Blacknall, Saeed 2-24; Hamilton, DaeSean 2-9; Thompkins, DeAndre 1-43; Barkley, Saquon 1-17.

## TOP TACKLERS (T-UA-A)

Kent State-Holley, Nate 17-5-12; McRae, Juantez 8-4-4; Waugh, Terence 7-4-3; Monday, Demetrious 6-6-0; Cuthbert, Nick 6-2-4.  
Penn State-Cabinda, Jason 11-5-6; Bell, Brandon 8-3-5; Sickels, Garrett 6-1-5; Miller, Shareef 5-4-1; Allen, Marcus 5-2-3; Wartman-White, Nyeme 5-1-4; White, Antoine 5-1-4.

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## 2016 SEASON IN REVIEW



SCORING SUMMARY						
	1	2	3	4	OT	F
PSU	7	7	7	18	-	39
PITT	14	14	7	7	-	42

1st	8:03	Pitt	10-99/4:43/0-7
	George Aston 1 yd run (Blewitt kick)		
	7:16	Pitt	2-12/0:38/0-14
	Quadree Henderson 7 yd pass from Peterman (Blewitt kick)		
	2:42	PSU	1-15/0:09/7-14
	Saquon Barkley 3 yd run (Davis kick)		
2nd	13:38	Pitt	9-74/4:04/7-21
	Scott Orndoff 2 yd pass from Peterman (Blewitt kick)		
	11:54	Pitt	3-30/1:07/7-28
	George Aston 3 yd run (Blewitt kick)		
	0:42	PSU	8-83/2:35/14-28
	Saquon Barkley 1 yd run (Davis kick)		
3rd	11:54	PSU	2-46/0:39/21-28
	Saquon Barkley 40 yd pass from McSorley (Davis kick)		
	7:24	Pitt	11-75/4:30/21-35
	James Conner 1 yd run (Blewitt kick)		
4th	13:42	PSU	7-68/2:04/28-35
	Saquon Barkley 1 yd run (Davis kick)		
	12:04	PSU	4-9/1:31/31-35
	Tyler Davis 38 yd field goal		
	10:24	Pitt	3-10/1:40/31-42
	James Conner 12 yd pass from Peterman (Blewitt kick)		
	5:00	PSU	6-60/1:30/39-42
	Saquon Barkley 2 yd run (Hamilton pass from McSorley)		

### TEAM STATS

	PSU	PITT
First Downs	20	19
Rushing Yards	74	341
Passing Yards	332	91
Passing (C-A-Int)	24-35-1	11-15-1
Total Offense	406	432
Plays	66	71
Fumbles (#-Lost)	5-3	2-1
Penalties (#-Yards)	4-35	10-79
Possession Time	24:31	35:29
3rd-Down Conv.	2-10	4-12
Red-Zone	5-5	6-6
Touchdowns	4	6
Field goals	1	0

### OTHER

Time of Game	3:44
Penn State	1-1, 0-0 B1G
Pittsburgh	2-0, 0-0 ACC

### GAME RECAP

**PITTSBURGH** - A 332-yard passing day for quarterback Trace McSorley and five total touchdowns by running back Saquon Barkley wasn't enough to overcome the strong rushing attack of Pitt in a 42-39 setback for the Nittany Lions in Heinz Field. The 69,983 in attendance marked the largest crowd ever at a city of Pittsburgh sporting event.

Barkley scored a career high five touchdowns and totaled 147 all-purpose yards, but the Pitt rushing attack, led by 117 yards from James Connor, was too much to overcome. Barkley's five touchdowns including four of the rushing variety, accounted for 30 points in the game. The 30 points rank tied for No. 4 in school history and is the first 30-point game for Penn State since Ki-Jana Carter had 30 points against Michigan State on Nov. 26, 1994. He is the first Big Ten player since Wisconsin's Melvin Gordon scored 30 points vs. Bowling Green in 2014.

The 81 points scored were the most combined points in the history of the 97-game Penn State-Pitt series.

#### Turning Point

Pitt led by as many as 21 points in the first half, but the game was in the hands of the Penn State offense trailing by three points with 3:56 remaining. After driving to the Pitt 32, McSorley's pass was intercepted in the end zone by Ryan Lewis and Pitt was able to kneel out the clock for the win.

#### Difference Makers

##### Penn State

- RB Saquon Barkley - Totaled the ball 20 times for 85 yards, caught two passes for 45 yards and returned one kickoff for 17 yards to total 147 all-purpose yards. Netted five total touchdowns - four rushing - to become the first Big Ten player since 2014 (Melvin Gordon, vs. Bowling Green) to account for 30 points in a game. Is the first Nittany Lion with 30 points since Ki-Jana Carter (1994, vs. Michigan State) and his total is tied for No. 4 in single-game scoring at Penn State.
- QB Trace McSorley - Set career-highs for completions (24), attempts (35) and passing yards (332). The 332 passing yards are No. 13 on the Penn State single season charts and mark his first career 300-yard passing game.
- WR DaeSean Hamilton - Brought in eight passes for 82 yards and caught a two-point conversion from McSorley in the fourth quarter.
- WR DeAndre Thompkins - Entered the season with three career grabs for 33 yards and made three catches for 87 yards vs. the Panthers. Now has four catches for 130 yards through two games in 2016.

• LB Nyem Wartman-White - Posted nine tackles, including a career-high 3.0 tackles-for-loss. Of his nine hits, seven were of the solo variety.

• DE Torrence Brown - A career-high six tackles and 2.0 tackles-for-loss were not enough for Brown vs. Pitt, as he added his first career forced fumble against the Panthers.

• CB John Reid - Recovered his second career fumble and added a career-high-tying five stops. Also returned four punts for 61 yards - including a career-long 59 yard scamper.

##### Pitt

• RB James Conner - Gained 117 yards on 22 carries and added a team-high-tying four catches for 29 yards, scoring one on the ground and once through the air.

• Pitt Rushing Attack - The Panthers watched as eight different players rushed the ball, with seven of them averaging more than 4.0 yards per carry.

• WR Quadree Henderson - Henderson was effective through the air and on the ground, catching three passes for a team-high 47 yards, returning two kickoffs for 96 yards - including an 84-yarder that set up the eventual winning score - and rushing for 58 yards.

#### Key Drives

##### PENN STATE, 4th Qtr, 6:30-5:00 - TOUCHDOWN

Starting near midfield, Penn State drove it down to the Pitt two yard line, in large part on the arm of McSorley. A 27 yard completion to Juwan Johnson kick started the drive and a 19-yard connection with Hamilton pushed the Nittany Lions just three yards from paydirt. Barkley capitalized on the short yardage, needing two carries for his fourth rushing score of the game. Down four points after the touchdown, Penn State went for the two-point conversion, and McSorley found Hamilton on a scramble to make it a three-point game.

##### PENN STATE, 4th Qtr, 3:56-1:15 - INTERCEPTION

Penn State took the field with 3:56 to play and a chance to tie the game or take the lead for the first time. A Barkley rush for 11 yards started the drive and two plays later it looked as if McSorley had Hamilton down the home sideline for a score, but the ball fell to the turf. After a Pitt sack made it 4th-and-16, McSorley found Thompkins across the middle for a 34-yard gain to move the Nittany Lions to the Pitt 32. After a Barkley rush for one yard, McSorley looked towards the end zone, but his pass - intended for Irvin Charles - was intercepted by Ryan Lewis. Pitt knelled three times to run out the clock on the ensuing drive.

### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

#### RUSHING

Penn State-Barkley, Saquon 20-85; Robinson, Andre 1-4; Allen, Mark 1-2; McSorley, Trace 9-minus 17.

PITT-Conner, James 22-117; Henderson, Quadree 4-58; Peterman, Nathan 8-52; Ollison, Qadree 9-36; Hall, Darrin 4-33; Whitehead, Jordan 1-28; Aston, George 4-14; Ford, Dontez 1-6; TEAM 3-minus 3.

#### PASSING

Penn State-McSorley, Trace 24-35-1-332.

PITT-Peterman, Nathan 11-15-1-91.

#### RECEIVING

Penn State-Hamilton, DaeSean 8-82; Gesicki, Mike 4-47; Godwin, Chris 4-36; Thompkins, DeAndre 3-87; Barkley, Saquon 2-45; Johnson, Juwan 1-27; Allen, Mark 1-4; Polk, Brandon 1-4.

PITT-Conner, James 4-29; Orndoff, Scott 4-15; Henderson, Quadree 3-47.

#### TOP TACKLERS (T-UA-A)

Penn State-Wartman-White, Nyem 9-7-2; Bell, Brandon 9-5-4; Allen, Marcus 8-4-4; Brown, Torrence 6-5-1; Golden, Malik 6-3-3; Bowen, Manny 5-5-0; Reid, John 5-3-2.

PITT-Lewis, Ryan 9-9-0; Whitehead, Jordan 7-4-3; Idowu, Oluwaseun 6-4-2; Webb, Terrish 5-5-0; Maddox, Avonte 5-4-1.

## GAME 3

TEMPLE 27



34 PENN STATE

BEAVER STADIUM

SEPT. 17, 2016  
ATTN: 100,420

## GAME RECAP

UNIVERSITY PARK, Pa. - Trace McSorley connected on 18-of-24 passes for 287 yards and a touchdown, including a pair of 52-yard throws, and the Penn State defense held Temple to 38 yards rushing, as the Nittany Lions defeated Temple, 34-27, in front of a "Stripe Out" crowd.

Penn State led Temple by as many as two touchdowns in the first half, as Chris Godwin totaled 111 yards and a touchdown in the first 30 minutes. The Owls capitalized on Nittany Lion miscues in the second half to pull within three, 27-24, midway through the fourth quarter, but running back Saquon Barkley answered for Penn State by breaking off a 55-yard touchdown run with 7:20 remaining.

Penn State jumped out to a 21-7 lead in the first half. A 52-yard touchdown strike to Godwin for the game's first score was quickly answered by a 67-yard reception by Temple's Romond Deloatch, setting up an 8-yard touchdown run for running back Jahad Thomas. However, Penn State went back ahead with 2:50 remaining in the first quarter, as running back Andre Robinson capped a 13-play, 69-yard drive with three consecutive runs, including a 3-yard plunge into the end zone for his first career touchdown. McSorley capped a drive midway through the second quarter with a dive into the end zone for a 21-7 advantage.

Temple assembled a field goal drive just before the break to head into the locker room trailing 21-10.

The Nittany Lions restored their 14-point lead with a 40-yard Tyler Davis field goal just under six minutes into the second half. However, Penn State allowed a 9-yard touchdown drive and a 1-yard touchdown drive with only a Davis field goal in between after turnovers gave the Owls short fields.

Penn State's lead was down to 27-24, but Barkley's touchdown scamper resulted in a 34-24 lead that proved to be enough, as Temple could only muster a field goal for the final margin.

The 106 points scored by Penn State through three games is the most by a Nittany Lion team since the 2008 squad put up 166 points in that span (Coastal Carolina - 66; Oregon State - 45; at Syracuse - 55).

## Turning Point

Temple appeared to have the momentum after an interception late in the third quarter and a fumble on a punt return midway through the fourth quarter resulted in two short touchdown drives. With the Penn State lead down to just three points, Barkley restored the Nittany Lions' two-score advantage with a 55-yard touchdown down run with 7:20 to go.

## Difference Makers

## Penn State

- LB Brandon Smith - The junior entered the game with just one tackle, but he made eight tackles, including on assisting on a stop behind the line, and broke up a pass for a career day.

- Rushing Attack - Barkley, McSorley and Andre Robinson each rushed for a touchdown, marking the first time since last season's Rutgers contest that three different Lions rushed across the goal line.
- Run Defense - Penn State only yielded 38 yards on the ground for their best performance against the run since limiting Illinois to 37 yards last season.

## Temple

- SS Delvon Randall - Randall setup both of Temple's second half touchdown drives. In the third quarter, he picked off McSorley at the Penn State 26 and returned it to the 9. The ensuing Temple offensive possession resulted in a touchdown and shrunk Penn State's lead to 24-17. Randall also recovered a fumble on a punt return at the Penn State 1 in the fourth quarter, setting up another touchdown drive that pulled the Owls within a field goal, 27-24.
- RB Jahad Thomas - Thomas was both Temple's leading receiver and rusher in his first game of the season. On the ground, Thomas scored two touchdowns and totaled 52 yards on 14 carries. He also caught six passes for 48 yards.

## Key Drives

## PENN STATE 1st Qtr, 8:47-2:50 - TOUCHDOWN

Penn State used the ground game for its next score rushing eight times for 47 yards on the drive. Once Penn State broke into the red zone, Robinson took it from there, rushing 12 yards to the Temple 6, before back-to-back 3-yard rushes resulting in his first career touchdown and 14-7 lead.

## PENN STATE 2nd Qtr, 10:29-7:15 - TOUCHDOWN

After Robinson converted a fourth-and-1 at Temple's 44 with a 1-yard rush, McSorley connected with Godwin for 23-yard gain to the Temple 20. After a 2-yard Robinson rush, Polk hauled in a 14-yard pass at the 4. McSorley then took it himself after a holding penalty took out the intended receiver. McSorley just continued to roll right on the play and dove for the pylon for his first career rushing score and a 21-7 lead.

## TEMPLE 4th Qtr, 7:20-2:10 - FIELD GOAL

Penn State only yielded three double-digit plays, the longest being a 13-yard reception on third-and-19, as Temple burned 5 minutes and 11 seconds to move within one score.

## The Rest

DaeSean Hamilton recovered an onside kick but Penn State went three-and-out, giving Temple the ball after a punt with 37 seconds remaining. Walker's second pass attempt was intercepted by John Reid though to end the game.

## INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

## RUSHING

Temple-Thomas, Jahad 14-52; Sharga, Nick 3-4; Simpson, Cortrell 1-minus 1; Armstead, Ryquell 2-minus 4; Walker, Phillip 8-minus 13. Penn State-Barkley, Saquon 9-68; Sanders, Miles 3-27; Robinson, Andre 6-24; Allen, Mark 6-17; McSorley, Trace 9-8; Hamilton, DaeSean 1-minus 12; TEAM 3-minus 16.

## PASSING

Temple-Walker, Phillip 25-34-1-286.  
Penn State-McSorley, Trace 18-24-1-287.

## RECEIVING

Temple-Thomas, Jahad 6-48; Kirkwood, Keith 5-57; Yancy, Brodrick 4-31; Ellick, Marshall 3-41; Jennings, Adonis 3-23; Deloatch, Romond 1-67; Myarick, Chris 1-15; Armstead, Ryquell 1-2; Sharga, Nick 1-2. Penn State-Godwin, Chris 7-117; Thompkins, DeAndre 3-36; Gesicki, Mike 2-62; Hamilton, DaeSean 2-50; Barkley, Saquon 2-7; Polk, Brandon 1-14; Allen, Mark 1-1.

## TOP TACKLERS (T-UA-A)

Temple-Chandler, Sean 8-4-4; Reddick, Haason 7-5-2; Randall, Delvon 7-3-4; Williams, Avery 6-1-5; Marshall, Stephaun 5-2-3. Penn State-Golden, Malik 9-3-6; Allen, Marcus 8-6-2; Smith, Brandon 8-4-4; Cothren, Parker 7-2-5; Cooper, Jake 5-1-4; Reid, John 4-2-2; Brown, Torrence 4-1-3.



## SCORING SUMMARY

	1	2	3	4	OT	F
TEM	7	3	7	10	-	27
PSU	14	7	3	10	-	34

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
PSU	9:35	PSU	2-55/0:42/0-7	
Chris Godwin 52 yd pass from McSorley (Davis kick)				
TEM	8:54	TEM	2-75/0:41/7-7	
Jahad Thomas 8 yd run (Jones kick)				
PSU	2:50	PSU	13-69/5:57/7-14	
Andre Robinson 3 yd run (Davis kick)				
PSU	7:15	PSU	9-53/3:14/7-21	
Trace McSorley 2 yd run (Davis kick)				
TEM	0:04	TEM	6-52/0:34/10-21	
Austin Jones 45 yd field goal				
PSU	9:03	PSU	6-48/3:50/10-24	
Tyler Davis 40 yd field goal				
TEM	1:56	TEM	4-9/2:09/17-24	
Phillip Walker, Phillip 1 yd run (Jones kick)				
PSU	12:45	PSU	7-71/4:05/17-27	
Tyler Davis 30 yd field goal				
TEM	8:10	TEM	3-1:1/44/24-27	
Jahad Thomas 2 yd run (Jones kick)				
PSU	7:20	PSU	2-75/0:50/24-34	
Saquon Barkley 55 yd run (Davis kick)				
TEM	2:10	TEM	12-48/5:10/27-34	
Austin Jones 34 yd field goal				

## TEAM STATS

	TEM	PSU
First Downs	13	21
Rushing Yards	38	116
Passing Yards	286	287
Passing (C-A-Int)	25-34-1	18-24-1
Total Offense	324	403
Plays	62	61
Fumbles (#-Lost)	1-0	5-2
Penalties (#-Yards)	13-118	7-62
Possession Time	31:27	28:33
3rd-Down Conv.	3-13	2-9
Red-Zone	4-4	4-6
Touchdowns	3	2
Field goals	1	2

## OTHER

Time of Game	3:26
Penn State	2-1, 0-0 B1G
Temple	1-2, 0-0 AAC



## 2016 SEASON IN REVIEW

### GAME 4

PENN STATE 10



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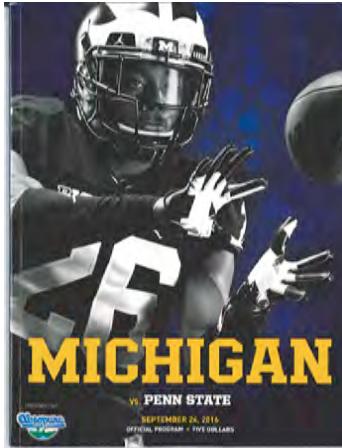
49 MICHIGAN

MICHIGAN STADIUM

ABC

SEPT. 24, 2016

ATTN: 110,319



#### GAME RECAP

ANN ARBOR, Mich. - Saquon Barkley totaled 136 all-purpose yards for Penn State, but an all-around performance by No. 4/5 Michigan gave the Wolverines a 49-10 victory over the Nittany Lions in the Big Ten football opener for both teams in Michigan Stadium.

Michigan built a 28-0 lead in the first half, while Penn State's lone touchdown came in the second half, an 8-yard completion from quarterback Trace McSorley to wide receiver Chris Godwin.

Barkley posted a career-high 77 yards receiving on five receptions and rushed for 59 yards on 15 carries. McSorley completed 16-of-27 pass attempts for 121 yards and a touchdown with one interception.

Seven different Michigan rushers totaled 329 yards and six touchdowns, led by De'Veon Smith's 107 yards and a touchdown on 12 attempts and Karan Higdon's 81 yards and two touchdowns on nine attempts.

Penn State was playing short-handed as all three starting linebackers - Brandon Bell, Jason Cabinda and Nyheim Wartman-White - were unavailable due to injury. The Nittany Lions' starting linebacker trio featured just three career combined starts as opposed to the 63 represented by the opening day trio. Starting middle linebacker Brandon Smith was then disqualified on the first play of the second quarter for targeting and his replacement, Jan Johnson, suffered a season-ending injury in the second quarter.

Safety Malik Golden led Penn State with a career-high 11 tackles, including eight solo and one for loss. True freshman linebacker Cam Brown made 10 stops in his first significant action. Sophomore linebacker Manny Bowen also had a career high of seven stops, while safety Marcus Allen had seven solo stops and two pass breakups.

#### Turning Point

Michigan's defense was able to pin Penn State in its own end and stop the Nittany Lions on fourth down near midfield early, giving its offense short fields. Michigan took advantage of the field position for touchdowns on each of their first three drives for a 21-0 lead early in the second quarter.

#### Difference Makers

##### Penn State

- RB Saquon Barkley - Barkley totaled 136 all-purpose yards as Penn State's leading rusher and receiver. He rushed 15 times for 59 yards and caught five passes for a career-high 77 yards.
- S Malik Golden - Golden made a career-high 11 tackles, including eight solo and one for loss.
- LB Cam Brown - The true freshman playing just his second game made 10 stops in his first significant action.
- WR Chris Godwin - Godwin scored Penn State's lone touchdown on an 8-yard pass reception.

PENN STATE 2:42 (3rd Qtr)-11:22 (4th Qtr) - TOUCHDOWN

McSorley rushed for a yard on fourth-and-1 at his own 35 and a pass interference penalty on third-and-14 moved Penn State to midfield. McSorley then found Gesicki on third-and-7 for a 12-yard gain to the Michigan 39. Another pass interference put Penn State just outside the red zone at the 21. An 11-yard reception by DaeSean Hamilton, a 2-yard rush by Barkley setup an 8-yard touchdown completion to Chris Godwin, but Michigan still led, 35-10.

#### The Rest

Michigan added a pair of rushing touchdowns late, taking advantage of an interception, for the final margin.

#### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

##### RUSHING

Penn State-Barkley, Saquon 15-59; Sanders, Miles 2-14; Robinson, Andre 1-3; Allen, Mark 1-0; McSorley, Trace 9-minus 6.  
Michigan-Smith, De'Veon 12-107; Higdon, Karan 9-81; Isaac, Ty 11-74; Evans, Chris 8-56; Speight, Wilton 2-9; Hill, Khalid 2-2; McDoom, Eddie 2-1; TEAM 3-minus 4.

##### PASSING

Penn State-McSorley, Trace 16-27-1-121.  
Michigan-Speight, Wilton 21-34-0-189; O'Korn, John 0-1-0-0.

##### RECEIVING

Penn State-Barkley, Saquon 5-77; Gesicki, Mike 5-23; Thompkins, DeAndre 3-minus 1; Hamilton, DaeSean 1-11; Godwin, Chris 1-8; Sanders, Miles 1-3.  
Michigan-Darboh, Amara 7-44; Butt, Jake 4-42; Smith, De'Veon 3-16; Perry, Grant 2-22; Chesson, Jehu 1-18; Hill, Khalid 1-15; Poggi, Henry 1-15; Evans, Chris 1-14; Asiasi, Devin 1-3.

##### TOP TACKLERS (T-UA-A)

Penn State-Golden, Malik 11-8-3; Brown, Cam 10-4-6; Allen, Marcus 7-7-0; Bowen, Manny 7-3-4; Cooper, Jake 6-2-4.  
Michigan-Gedeon, Ben 11-3-8; Thomas, Dymonte 8-7-1; Hurst, Maurice 6-3-3; Peppers, Jabrill 5-3-2; Godin, Matt 4-3-1.

#### SCORING SUMMARY

	1	2	3	4	OT	F
PSU	0	0	3	7	-	10
MICH	14	14	7	14	-	49

1st	9:35	MICH	7-41/3:11/0-7			
	Khalid Hill 1 yd run (Allen kick)					
	3:57	MICH	9-54/3:30/0-14			
	De'Veon Smith 2 yd run (Allen kick)					
2nd	14:09	MICH	9-64/3:14/0-21			
	Deven Asiasi 3 yd pass from Speight (Allen kick)					
	0:46	MICH	13-80/7:01/0-28			
	Karan Higdon 2 yd run (Allen kick)					
3rd	9:03	PSU	8-71/2:01/3-28			
	Tyler Davis 21 yd field goal					
	2:42	MICH	9-80/3:42/3-35			
	Chris Evans 3 yd run (Allen kick)					
4th	11:22	PSU	13-75/6:20/10-35			
	Chris Godwin 8 yd pass from McSorley (Davis kick)					
	6:11	MICH	10-76/5:11/10-42			
	Karan Higdon 40 yd run (Allen kick)					
	2:04	MICH	4-31 yards/1:13/10-49			
	Ty Isaac 3 yd run (Allen kick)					

#### TEAM STATS

	PSU	MICH
First Downs	12	25
Rushing Yards	70	326
Passing Yards	121	189
Passing (C-A-Int)	16-27-1	21-35-0
Total Offense	191	515
Plays	55	84
Fumbles (#-Lost)	1-1	0-0
Penalties (#-Yards)	2-13	7-80
Possession Time	24:11	35:49
3rd-Down Conv.	2-12	11-16
Red-Zone	2-2	6-6
Touchdowns	1	6
Field goals	1	0

#### OTHER

Time of Game	3:20
Penn State	2-2, 0-1 B1G
Michigan	4-0, 1-0 B1G

## GAME 5

MINNESOTA 26



29 PENN STATE

BEAVER STADIUM

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OCT. 1, 2016

ATTN: 95,332



## GAME RECAP

UNIVERSITY PARK, Pa. - Saquon Barkley broke through the Minnesota defense on Penn State's first offensive snap in overtime, allowing the Nittany Lions to reclaim the Governor's Victory Bell with a 29-26 win over the Golden Gophers in Big Ten football action in Beaver Stadium.

Penn State was also led by sophomore quarterback Trace McSorley, who accounted for 408 yards of total offense - 335 passing and 74 rushing - to mark the third-highest total in school history.

Minnesota led 13-3 at halftime, but the Nittany Lions rallied with 17 points on three consecutive possessions in the third quarter. Minnesota fought back as running back Shannon Brooks broke free for 37 yards to tie the game with 13:29 to go, and Emmit Carpenter scored the go-ahead points with a 37-yard field goal with 54 seconds remaining in regulation.

Penn State started at its own 25 after a touchback, and got rolling on third-and-10 on a 20-yard pass to Chris Godwin. A 7-yard reception by DeAndre Thompkins to the Minnesota 48 and a spike by McSorley stopped the clock with 20 seconds. The Nittany Lions looked to throw on the ensuing play, but the Gophers left the left side of the field open and McSorley scrambled for 26 yards out-of-bounds to the Minnesota 22 with 11 seconds remaining.

McSorley took one shot at the end zone, but his pass for Godwin fell incomplete. After a Minnesota timeout, Davis drilled a 40-yard field goal with two seconds remaining to force overtime.

Penn State won the coin toss and elected to play on defense first. Nittany Lion defensive end Evan Schwann sacked quarterback Mitch Leidner on second down for a 4-yard loss, and pressure from Garrett Sickels forced an incompletion and fourth down. Carpenter drilled a 46-yard field goal attempt down the middle to give Minnesota a 23-20 lead.

The lead was short-lived though, as Barkley found a hole, juked a Minnesota defender and outran the rest for a touchdown on Penn State's first snap.

Penn State totaled 471 yards of total offense, its most since racking up an identical total against Rutgers in 2015.

## Turning Point

Minnesota seemed to have all of the momentum after scoring 10 points in the final 2:06 of the second quarter. Both teams traded punts to start the third quarter, but then Penn State scored on its next three consecutive possessions. Wide receiver Irvin Charles broke a tackle for an 80-yard touchdown reception to cut the deficit to three, Tyler Davis connected on a 27-yard field goal to tie it, and then quarterback Trace McSorley used his feet on a 6-yard touchdown for Penn State's first lead, 20-13, with 2:27 to go in the third quarter.

## Difference Makers

## Penn State

- QB Trace McSorley - McSorley connected on 19-of-41 pass attempts for a career-high 335 yards. He also had a team-high and career-high 73 on the ground on eight attempts.
- RB Saquon Barkley - Barkley rushed for 63 yards on 20 attempts. Minnesota contained him for much of the second half, but Barkley's 25-yard touchdown run was his longest of the game and clinched the victory.
- TE Mike Gesicki - Gesicki finished with five catches for 73 yards, including a career-long 53-yard reception that setup McSorley's third quarter touchdown run.
- WR Chris Godwin - Caught four passes for 97 yards, with his biggest being a 36-yard reception to setup a third quarter field goal and a 20-yard reception on the game-tying drive in the final minute of the fourth.
- S Marcus Allen - Allen made a career-high 22 stops in the game, the most by a Penn State player since Paul Posluszny made 22 stops at Northwestern in 2005.
- K Tyler Davis - Converted all three field goal attempts, matching his season high of 40 yards to force overtime. He has now made 17 consecutive field goals for a Penn State record.
- CB Jordan Smith - Smith earned his first career interception in the third quarter, picking off Leidner in the end zone. It was the first time this season Minnesota had broken into the red zone and failed to score.

## Minnesota

- QB Mitch Leidner - Leidner completed 24-of-40 passes for 241 yards and one touchdown.
- RBs Shannon Brooks and Rodney Smith - Brooks and Smith both broke 100 yards rushing each. Smith rushed for 104 yards on 23 carries, and Smith rushed for 100 yards on 14 carries and found the end zone once.
- WR Brian Smith - Smith caught seven passes for 101 yards.
- WR Drew Wolitarsky - Wolitarsky caught seven passes for 69 yards and a touchdown.

## SCORING SUMMARY

	1	2	3	4	OT	F
MINN	3	10	0	10	3	26
PSU	0	3	17	3	6	29

1st	0:55	MINN	10-53/4:08/3-0
	Emmit Carpenter 37 yd field goal		
2nd	12:00	PSU	7-73/3:49/3-3
	Tyler Davis 19 yd field goal		
	2:06	MINN	9-63/4:41/10-3
	Drew Wolitarsky 9 yd pass from Leidner (Carpenter kick)		
	0:01	MINN	9-70/1:12/13-3
	Emmit Carpenter 35 yd field goal		
3rd	9:54	PSU	3-80/0:52/13-10
	Irvin Charles 80 yd pass from McSorley (Davis kick)		
	7:28	PSU	5-33/0:57/13-13
	Tyler Davis 27 yd field goal		
	2:27	PSU	6-85/2:06/13-20
	Trace McSorley 6 yd run (Davis kick)		
4th	13:29	MINN	8-87/3:58/20-20
	Shannon Brooks 37 yd run (Carpenter kick)		
	0:54	MINN	11-58/4:40/23-20
	Emmit Carpenter 37 yd field goal		
	0:02	PSU	8-53/0:52/23-23
	Tyler Davis 40 yd field goal		
OT		MINN	4-3/0:00/26-23
	Emmit Carpenter 46 yd field goal		
	PSU	1-25/0:00/26-29	
	Saquon Barkley 25 yd run		

## TEAM STATS

	MINN	PSU
First Downs	31	19
Rushing Yards	228	136
Passing Yards	241	335
Passing (C-A-Int)	24-41-1	19-42-0
Total Offense	469	471
Plays	89	70
Fumbles (#-Lost)	0-0	0-0
Penalties (#-Yards)	8-83	5-65
Possession Time	36:47	23:13
3rd-Down Conv.	6-17	4-15
Red-Zone	4-5	3-3
Touchdowns	1	1
Field goals	3	2

## OTHER

Time of Game	3:51
Minnesota	3-1, 0-1 B1G
Penn State	3-2, 1-1 B1G

## INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

## RUSHING

Minnesota-Smith, Brian 27-101; Wolitarsky, Drew 7-69; Smith, Rodney 4-39; Johnson, Tyler 2-17; Beebe, Colton 2-10; Brooks, Shannon 1-3; Wozniak, Nate 1-2.

Penn State-McSorley, Trace 8-73; Barkley, Saquon 20-63.

## PASSING

Minnesota-Leidner, Mitch 24-40-1-241; TEAM 0-1-0-0.

Penn State-McSorley, Trace 19-41-0-335; TEAM 0-1-0-0.

## RECEIVING

Minnesota-Smith, Brian 7-101; Wolitarsky, Drew 7-69; Smith, Rodney 4-39; Johnson, Tyler 2-17; Beebe, Colton 2-10; Brooks, Shannon 1-3; Wozniak, Nate 1-2.

Penn State-Gesicki, Mike 5-70; Godwin, Chris 4-97; Thompkins, DeAndre 4-42; Hamilton, DaeSean 3-17; Charles, Irvin 1-80; Robinson, Andre 1-2; Barkley, Saquon 1-minus 3.

## TOP TACKLERS (T-UA-A)

Minnesota-Travis, Damarious 9-4-5; Winfield, Antoine 8-6-2; Celestin, Jonathan 8-4-4; Myrick, Jalen 6-5-1; Lynn, Jack 5-2-3; McGhee, Duke 5-0-5.

Penn State-Allen, Marcus 22-8-14; Brown, Cam 9-6-3; Bowen, Manny 7-5-2; Haley, Grant 7-2-5; Smith, Brandon 7-2-5; Apke, Troy 6-3-3.

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## 2016 SEASON IN REVIEW



SCORING SUMMARY						
	1	2	3	4	OT	F
MD	7	7	0	0	-	14
PSU	7	17	7	7	-	38

1st	12:33	PSU	7-84/2:270-7
	Mike Gesicki 5 yd pass from McSORLEY (Davis kick)		
7:13	UMD	5-81/1:43/7-7	
	Ty Johnson 66 yd pass from Hills (Greene kick)		
2nd	12:20	PSU	12-42/4:46/7-10
	Tyler Davis 30 yd field goal		
	6:06	PSU	10-67/4:18/7-17
	Trace McSORLEY 9 yd run (Davis kick)		
	0:52	UMD	3-37/1:03/14-17
	Tyrell Pigrome 7 yd run (Greene kick)		
	0:15	PSU	3-70/0:26/14-24
	Saquon Barkley 45 yd run (Davis kick)		
3rd	0:00	PSU	2-70 yards/0:42/14-31
	DeAndre Thompkins 70 yd pass from McSORLEY (Davis kick)		
4th	5:15	PSU	5-51/2:25/14-38
	Miles Sanders 25 yd run (Davis kick)		

### TEAM STATS

	MD	PSU
First Downs	11	28
Rushing Yards	170	372
Passing Yards	100	152
Passing (C-A-Int)	10-16-1	10-19-0
Total Offense	270	524
Plays	54	81
Fumbles (#-Lost)	1-1	2-1
Penalties (#-Yards)	5-54	7-50
Possession Time	25:00	35:00
3rd-Down Conv.	4-13	5-13
Red-Zone	1-2	3-4
Touchdowns	1	2
Field goals	0	1

### OTHER

Time of Game	3:14
Maryland	4-1, 1-1 B1G
Penn State	4-2, 2-1 B1G

### GAME RECAP

#### GAME RECAP

UNIVERSITY PARK, Pa. - Running back Saquon Barkley and quarterback Trace McSORLEY combined for 283 of Penn State's 372 rushing yards to lead the Nittany Lions past Maryland, 38-14.

It was Penn State's most prolific rushing game against an FBS or Big Ten opponent since posting 390 against Michigan State in 2002, and the 372 yards rank as its third-most against a Big Ten opponent.

Barkley posted a career-high 202 yards and a touchdown on a career-high 31 carries to lead Penn State, while McSORLEY set career highs on the ground with 18 carries for 81 yards and a touchdown. He also added two more touchdowns through the air, including a 70-yarder to DeAndre Thompkins, and finished the game completing 10-of-19 attempts for 152 yards.

The Nittany Lions essentially flipped the script on offense. Entering the contest, Penn State was only averaging 108.2 yards rushing per game while Maryland was averaging 300.0, but the Lions held the Terrapins to just 170 yards on the ground. Maryland was also averaging 466.2 yards of total offense to Penn State's 365.0, but the Nittany Lions held the advantage in the category, 524-270. Maryland was also averaging 43.2 points per game and just 14.5 points allowed.

Penn State's 524 yards of total offense was its most since 2013 against Eastern Michigan (574), as the Nittany Lions ran 81 plays to Maryland's 54. A total of 62 of Penn State's plays were on the ground - it's the most ever in a Big Ten game.

Penn State never trailed, receiving the opening kickoff and marching 84 yards on seven plays for an eventual 5-yard touchdown reception by tight end Mike Gesicki, largely on the feet of Barkley and McSORLEY. A short pass from Maryland quarterback Perry Hills to Ty Johnson turned into a 66-yard touchdown reception to tie the game at 7-7 midway through the first quarter, but a Tyler Davis field goal and rushing touchdowns by McSORLEY and Barkley overcame Maryland's only other score in the second quarter, and the Lions never looked back from a 24-14 halftime lead.

#### Turning Point

Maryland looked to have the momentum moving into the halftime break after covering 37 yards on three plays for a touchdown, pulling within three points and leaving just 41 seconds on the clock after the kickoff. However, Saquon Barkley needed only three plays to cover 70 yards. He rushed for 25 yards on his first carry and was stuffed for no gain on the next, but he broke free for a 45-yard touchdown run on the next to give Penn State a 24-14 lead. The Nittany Lions shutout Maryland in the second half and added two more touchdowns.

#### Difference Makers

##### Penn State

- QB Trace McSORLEY - McSORLEY totaled 233 yards of total offense and accounted for three touchdowns. He gained a career-high 81 yards on a career-high 18 carries with one touchdown, while also throwing a 70-yard touchdown pass to DeAndre Thompkins and a 5-yard touchdown pass to Mike Gesicki. McSORLEY completed 10-of-19 passed for 152 yards. Four of McSORLEY's carries were for 12 or more yards, including a long of 25, and his 81 rushing yards were the most by a Penn State QB since Darryl Clark rushed for 83 against Illinois in 2009.
- RB Saquon Barkley - Barkley received a career-high 31 carries for 202 yards and a 45-yard touchdown. Six of his carries went for 13 or more yards.
- LB Brandon Smith - Smith came off the bench to make a career-high 14 tackles and his first career interception.
- WR DeAndre Thompkins - Thompkins matched his career high with four receptions and set a career high with 91 yards receiving, including a career-best 70-yard touchdown grab.
- Penn State Defense - Ten different Lions combined for 10.0 tackles for loss. Linebacker Koa Farmer, who made his first career start, led with 1.5 TFLs, a forced fumble and a sack.

#### Key Drives

##### PENN STATE, 1st Qtr, 15:00-12:33 - TOUCHDOWN

Penn State marched down the field on its opening drive with big plays. McSORLEY opened the drive with a 21-yard completion to DaeSean Hamilton. The ground game then took over as Barkley followed a 3-yard rush with a 17-yarder. McSORLEY then found space for 17 yards and Barkley followed with a 20-yard rush to the Maryland 6-yard line. After a rush for no gain, McSORLEY connected with Gesicki for a 5-yard touchdown completion.

##### PENN STATE, 2nd Qtr, 10:24-6:06 - TOUCHDOWN

Penn State's two pass attempts on the drive fell incomplete, but its nine rushing plays were good enough. McSORLEY got the drive rolling on the second play with a 25-yard run to the Maryland 43. Mark Allen gained 10 yards on two rushes for a first down, and two runs each by McSORLEY and Barkley advanced the ball to the 14. A Barkley touchdown run on third-and-7 was called back on a holding penalty, but a pass interference penalty on the next play gave Penn State first-and-goal at the nine. McSORLEY called his own number on the next snap and threaded his way through the Maryland defense for a touchdown.

### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

#### RUSHING

Maryland-Harrison, Lorenzo 6-76; Pigrome, Tyrrell 10-39; Morgan, Teldrick 2-24; Hills, Perry 9-16; Johnson, Ty 5-11; Edmunds, Trey 3-8; Goins, Kenneth 1-2; TEAM 1-minus 1; Funk, Jake 1-minus 5. Penn State-Barkley, Saquon 31-202; McSORLEY, Trace 18-81; Stevens, Tommy 4-36; Allen, Mark 7-31; Sanders, Miles 1-25; TEAM 1-minus 3.

#### PASSING

Maryland-Pigrome, Tyrrell 5-9-0-28; Hills, Perry 5-7-1-72. Penn State-McSORLEY, Trace 10-19-0-152

#### RECEIVING

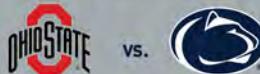
Maryland-Moore, D.J. 4-15; Johnson, Ty 2-69; Jacobs, Levern 2-13; Morgan, Teldrick 2-3. Penn State-Thompkins, DeAndre 4-91; Gesicki, Mike 4-26; Hamilton, DaeSean 2-35.

#### TOP TACKLERS (T-UA-A)

Maryland-Cockerille, Shane 13-7-6; Woods, Josh 9-5-4; Braglio, Roman 8-5-3; Keihm, Melvin 8-2-6; Carter, Jermaine 7-3-4; Savage, Darnell 6-5-1; Opara, Kingsley 6-3-3. Penn State-Smith, Brandon 14-2-12; Allen, Marcus 7-3-4; Golden, Malik 6-3-3; Reid, John 5-3-2; Farmer, Koa 5-1-4; Bowen, Mann 5-1-4.

## GAME 7

OHIO STATE 21



24 PENN STATE

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ABCOCT. 22, 2016  
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## GAME RECAP

UNIVERSITY PARK, Pa. - Grant Haley returned a field goal blocked by Marcus Allen 60 yards for the game-winning touchdown, as Penn State erased a 14-point deficit in the fourth quarter to defeat No. 2 Ohio State, 24-21 in front of a Penn State White Out crowd of 107,280 in Beaver Stadium. The Buckeyes had won 78 straight games when leading by 14 or more points in the fourth quarter.

Penn State used big plays on offense and a pair of special teams plays to score 17 points in the fourth quarter.

It marked the first time Penn State defeated a Top 2 team since winning at No. 1 Notre Dame in 1990, and the first win at home over a Top 2 team since downing No. 2 Nebraska, 27-24, in 1982. The victory was also Penn State's first over a ranked opponent since 2013 (Wisconsin).

Penn State also snapped Ohio State's streak of 20 consecutive road wins, and it was the first road loss under head coach Urban Meyer.

Ohio State punted to start the fourth quarter and pinned the Nittany Lions on their own 10, but the Nittany Lions covered 90 yards on just five plays, highlighted by running back Saquon Barkley breaking free for 37 yards, and then quarterback Trace McSorley finding wide receiver Saeed Blacknall down the left sideline for 35 yards to the 2. McSorley rushed it himself on second-and-goal to pull within a touchdown, 21-14.

The Lion defense forced an Ohio State three-and-out and freshman linebacker Cam Brown blocked the Buckeyes' punt, setting up a Tyler Davis field goal with 9:33 remaining, cutting the deficit to just four.

Ohio State reached the Penn State 28 on its ensuing possession and attempted a 45-yard field goal, but it was blocked by Allen and Haley scooped it and scored, running 60-yards down the sideline to give Penn State a 24-21 lead.

The Buckeyes took over from their own 11 with 4:21 remaining, but did not get past their own 42. Jordan Smith broke up a deep pass on second-and-10 from the 42, and then Jason Cabinda sacked quarterback J.T. Barrett for a loss of 13 yards on third down. On fourth-and-23, Evan Schwan and Kevin Givens sacked Barrett again to seal the win.

Ohio State had not relinquished the lead until Haley's touchdown score.

The first quarter was scoreless as Ohio State was limited to two first downs and Penn State had four. It was the first time Ohio State had been held scoreless all season. The Buckeyes used a field goal to get on the scoreboard at the start of the second quarter, and extended the lead to 12-0 on a 26-yard touchdown pass to tight end Marcus Baugh and another field goal.

Penn State managed to get on the scoreboard just before the halftime break. The Lions drove 74 yards on seven plays in just one minute, as Chris Godwin hauled in a 20-yard touchdown reception with just nine seconds remaining.

Ohio State took a 19-7 lead early in the third quarter on a 74-yard touchdown run by Curtis Samuel and a safety on a bad snap extended the lead to 21-7 before Penn State rallied in the fourth.

## Difference Makers

## Penn State

- S Marcus Allen and CB Grant Haley - Allen and Haley teamed up for the game-winning touchdown, as Allen's field goal block was scooped up by Haley, who took it 60 yards for a touchdown.
- QB Trace McSorley - McSorley rushed and threw for a touchdown for a third consecutive game. He completed 8-of-23 passing attempts for 154 yards, and rushed for 63 yards on 19 attempts.
- RB Saquon Barkley - Barkley totaled 99 yards on 12 carries with a long of 37.
- LB Brandon Bell - Bell returned from injury and led the Nittany Lions with 18 tackles, including a sack.
- LB Jason Cabinda - Cabinda, playing in his first game since the season opener due to injury, made 13 tackles, a sack and 2.0 tackles for loss.
- DE Garrett Sickels - Sickels made a career-high nine tackles, 2.5 sacks and 3.5 TFLs, all in the second half.
- Defense - Led by Sickels, defense had a season-high 11.0 tackles for loss. It was also the most TFLs for Penn State since Maryland (11.0) last season.

## Key Drives

PENN STATE, 1st Qtr, 1:09-0:09 - TOUCHDOWN

Not content to run the clock out, Penn State drove 74-yards on seven plays in exactly one minute, as Chris Godwin hauled in a 20-yard touchdown pass. A 19-yard completion to Godwin on third-and-8 from Penn State's 28 moved the Nittany Lions to midfield at the 47, and then after a 1-yard sack, McSorley found DaeSean Hamilton down the right sideline for 34 yards to the 20. After an incompletion, McSorley found Godwin who out-fought his defender for the ball.

OHIO STATE, 4th Qtr, 9:28-4:27 - BLOCKED FG RETURNED FOR TOUCHDOWN

Ohio State started at its own 13, but methodically moved down the field, aided by a 34-yard reception by Noah Brown to the Penn State 42. The drive stalled at the 28 though, and Marcus Allen blocked the 45-yard field goal attempt and returned it 60 yards for the game-winning touchdown.

## SCORING SUMMARY

	1	2	3	4	OT	F
OSU	0	12	9	0	-	21
PSU	0	7	0	17	-	24

2nd	14:55	OSU	5-22/0:43/3-0			
	Tyler Durbin 33 yd field goal					
	4:53	OSU	11-78/5:09/9-0			
	Marcus Baugh 26 yd pass from Barrett (Durbin kick failed)					
	1:14	OSU	9-58/2:22/12-0			
	Tyler Durbin 30 yd field goal					
	0:09	PSU	7-74/1:00/12-7			
	Chris Godwin 20 yd pass from McSorley (Davis kick)					
3rd	10:10	OSU	3-82/1:24/19-7			
	Curtis Samuel 74 yd run (Durbin kick)					
	8:31	OSU	21-7			
	TEAM safety					
4th	13:32	PSU	5-90/1:20/21-14			
	Trace McSorley 2 yd run (Davis kick)					
	9:33	PSU	6-12/2:09/21-17			
	Tyler Davis 34 yd field goal					
	4:27	PSU	21-24			
	Grant Haley 60 yd blocked FG return (Davis kick)					

## TEAM STATS

	OSU	PSU
First Downs	19	13
Rushing Yards	168	122
Passing Yards	245	154
Passing (C-A-Int)	28-43-0	8-23-0
Total Offense	413	276
Plays	83	60
Fumbles (#-Lost)	2-0	2-1
Penalties (#-Yards)	8-45	1-5
Possession Time	37:19	22:41
3rd-Down Conv.	9-22	2-13
Red-Zone	2-2	3-4
Touchdowns	0	2
Field goals	2	1

## OTHER

Time of Game	3:32
Ohio State	6-1, 3-1 B1G
Penn State	5-2, 3-1 B1G

## INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

## RUSHING

Ohio State-Weber, Mike 21-71; Samuel, Curtis 2-71; Barrett, J.T. 17-26.  
Penn State-Barkley, Saquon 12-99; McSorley, Trace 19-63; Godwin, Chris 1-13; Sanders, Miles 1-minus 10; TEAM 4-minus 43.

## PASSING

Ohio State-Barrett, J.T. 28-43-0-245.  
Penn State-McSorley, Trace 8-23-0-154.

## RECEIVING

Ohio State-Samuel, Curtis 8-68; Weber, Mike 8-36; Baugh, Marcus 5-55; Brown, Noah 3-45; Wilson, Donte 2-16; McLaurin, Terry 1-19; Campbell, Parris 1-6.  
Penn State-Gesicki, Mike 4-46; Godwin, Chris 2-39; Blacknall, Saeed 1-35; Hamilton, DaeSean 1-34.

## TOP TACKLERS (T-UA-A)

Ohio State-Hooker, Malik 7-2-5; McMillan, Raekwon 6-5-1; Hubbard, Sam 6-4-2; Holmes, Jalyn 4-2-2; Baker, Jerome 4-2-2.  
Penn State-Bell, Brandon 19-8-11; Cabinda, Jason 12-2-10; Bowen, Manny 11-4-7; Sickels, Garrett 9-3-6; Allen, Marcus 7-2-5; Golden, Malik 6-3-3.

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## 2016 SEASON IN REVIEW

### GAME 8

PENN STATE 62



24 PURDUE

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OCT. 29, 2016  
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#### GAME RECAP

**WEST LAFAYETTE, Ind.** - After heading into halftime tied at 17, No. 24 Penn State scored 17 straight to open the third quarter and outscored Purdue 45-7 in the second half on its way to a 66-24 victory inside Ross-Ade Stadium.

The Nittany Lions had six scoring drives of under two minutes on their way to the first 60-point scoring game since the 2008 season (66 vs. Coastal Carolina). Their 62 points scored are the most against a Big Ten opponent since 2005 when Penn State claimed a 63-10 victory at Illinois.

Saquon Barkley racked up career highs with 207 rushing yards and 277 (207 rushing, 70 receiving) all-purpose yards. His 277 all-purpose yards are a Penn State sophomore record and his 207 rushing yards make him the first Penn Stateer since Larry Johnson (four times, 2002) to eclipse the 200-yard mark twice in the same season since 2002. The rushing total ranks No. 21 on the school single-game rushing charts and are the most by a Nittany Lion since Larry Johnson had 279 against Michigan State in 2002.

The backfield carried the load for Penn State, as six Nittany Lions combined for 257 yards on just 38 carries, led by Barkley's 207 yards on 18 totes (11.5 ypc). Barkley and redshirt-freshman Andre Robinson each scored twice on the ground, with Mark Allen adding another rushing score in the fourth quarter. Miles Sanders added his first career receiving touchdown to give the backfield six total scores on the day.

The defense and special teams forced four turnovers in the game, the most by Penn State since pressuring Maryland into five turnovers in 2015. Brandon Smith and Christian Campbell each pulled down their second career interceptions, with Kevin Givens and Jordan Smith each posting their first career fumble recoveries. Jason Cabinda led the charge with a game-high nine tackles.

#### Turning Point

Brandon Smith started the second half at middle linebacker and pulled down his second career interception on the third play from scrimmage. Smith returned the interception 22 yards and four plays later, Trace McSorley found Chris Godwin for a 1-yard touchdown pass to make it 24-17 in favor of the Blue and White. The Nittany Lions would go on to outscore Purdue by 38 points, 45-7, in the second half.

#### Difference Makers

##### Penn State

- RB Saquon Barkley – Carried 18 times for a career-high 207 yards and two touchdowns, while adding 70 yards receiving on three catches. The 207 rushing yards rank No. 21 on Penn State's single-game rushing charts and are his second 200-yard effort of the season. His 277 all-purpose yards mark a career high, as well, and set the Penn State sophomore record. He had an 81-yard touchdown run in the fourth quarter.

- Penn State RBs – The quartet of Barkley, Mark Allen, Andre Robinson and Miles Sanders combined for 328 yards of total offense (237 rushing, 91 receiving) and six touchdowns. Barkley and Robinson each rushed for two scores, while Sanders caught a 21-yard touchdown pass and Allen rumbled in from 1-yard out for a score.
- Trace McSorley – Posted his fifth career 200-yard passing game with 228 yards through the air. He is tied for 14th with Doug Strang (1982-83) in the Penn State career ledger and ninth in the season ledger, also with Strang (1983).
- WR Chris Godwin – Caught five passes for 58 yards, including two touchdown grabs, which tie a career high (Michigan State, 2015). His two scoring grabs give him 12 for his career and move him into the No. 10 spot on the career touchdown receptions list. He also moved into the Top 10 in career receiving yardage (1,844), passing current assistant head coach and cornerbacks coach Terry Smith (1988-91) and Jack Curry (1965-67) to move into 10th.
- LB Jason Cabinda – Posted a game-high nine tackles – six solo – to give him at least nine stops in all three games he has appeared in this season.
- LB Brandon Smith – Nabbed his second career interception and returned it 22 yards to set up Penn State's first touchdown of the season half. Also added four tackles.
- Fumble Recoveries – Jordan Smith and Kevin Givens each posted their first career fumble recoveries in the game. Smith fell on a muffed punt in the third quarter, while Givens corralled his fumble recovery early in the fourth quarter.

#### Purdue

- QB David Blough – Accounted for 281 yards through the air on 34-of-50 passing with two touchdown passes and one interception. Connected with DeAngelo Yancey for a 62-yard scoring strike in the third quarter.
- RB Markell Jones – Compiled 105 yards of total offense with 46 rushing yards and 59 receiving yards. Added a rushing touchdown in the game.
- WR DeAngelo Yancey – Caught two passes for 66 yards, including the 62-yard catch-and-run down the sidelines for Purdue's lone second half score.
- Purdue Pass Catchers – Eleven different players caught passes for Purdue, including eight grabs from Cameron Posey, seven by Cole Herdman and six for Markell Jones.

#### SCORING SUMMARY

	1	2	3	4	OT	F
<b>PSU</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>21</b>	-	<b>62</b>
<b>PUR</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	-	<b>24</b>
1st	11:33	PSU				8-85/3:27/7-0
	Saquon Barkley 3 yd run (Davis kick)					
	6:26	PUR				10-77/5:07/7-7
	Markell Jones 1 yd run (Dellinger kick)					
2nd	14:32	PUR				13-55 5:24/7-14
	Cameron Posey 1 yd pass from Blough (Dellinger kick)					
	12:33	PSU				5-82/1:59/14-14
	Chris Godwin 38 yd pass from McSorley (Davis kick)					
	6:57	PUR				12-50/5:36/14-17
	J.D. Dellinger 42 yd field goal					
	2:36	PSU				11-72/4:21/17-17
	Tyler Davis 33 yd field goal					
3rd	12:29	PSU				4-42/1:18/24-17
	Chris Godwin 1 yd pass from McSorley (Davis kick)					
	8:17	PSU				2-24/0:39/31-17
	Andre Robinson 4 yd run (Davis kick)					
	4:21	PSU				6-61/1:42/34-17
	Tyler Davis 29 yd field goal					
	2:32	PUR				4-75/1:49/34-24
	DeAngelo Yancey 62 yd pass from Blough (Dellinger kick)					
	1:18	PSU				3-40/1:14/41-24
	Miles Sanders 21 yd pass from McSorley (Davis kick)					
4th	13:56	PSU				1-81/0:13/48-24
	Saquon Barkley 81 yd run (Davis kick)					
	6:09	PSU				7-58/3:07/55-24
	Mark Allen 1 yd run (Davis kick)					
	2:25	PSU				4-28/2:16/62-24
	Andre Robinson 19 yd run (Davis kick)					

#### TEAM STATS

	PSU	PUR
First Downs	24	20
Rushing Yards	257	46
Passing Yards	254	295
Passing (C-A-Int)	13-25-0	36-55-2
Total Offense	511	341
Plays	63	81
Fumbles (#-Lost)	1-0	3-2
Penalties (#-Yards)	11-91	8-76
Possession Time	25:13	34:47
3rd-Down Conv.	2-9	9-21
Red-Zone	8-8	2-2
Touchdowns	6	2
Field goals	2	0

#### OTHER

Time of Game	3:33
Penn State	6-2, 4-1 B1G
Purdue	3-5, 1-4 B1G

#### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

##### RUSHING

Penn State-Barkley, Saquon 18-207; Stevens, Tommy 5-31; Robinson, Andre 2-23; Sanders, Miles 3-6; McSorley, Trace 5-2; Allen, Mark 1-1; TEAM 4-minus 13.

Purdue-Jones, Markell 7-46; Worship, Richie 6-23; Marshall, Bilal 5-1; Kimbrough 2-0; Fuller, Tario 1-minus 2; Sindelar 2-minus 2; Blough, David 3-minus 20.

##### PASSING

Penn State-McSorley, Trace 12-23-0-228; Stevens, Tommy 1-2-0-26. Purdue-Blough, David 34-50-1-281; Sindelar 0-3-1-0; Marshall, Bilal 2-0-14.

##### RECEIVING

Penn State-Godwin, Chris 5-58; Barkley, Saquon 3-70; Blacknall, Saeed 1-42; Charles, Irvin 1-26; Gesicki, Mike 1-23; Sanders, Miles 1-21; Hamilton, DaeSean 1-14. Purdue-Posey, Cameron 8-50; Herdman, Cole 7-33; Jones, Markell 6-59; Marshall, Bilal 4-26; Kimbrough, Malik 3-8; Yancey, DeAngelo 2-66; Hopkins, Brycen 2-16; Yancey, David 1-19; Phillips, Gregory 1-10; Worship, Richie 1-7; Mahoungou, Anthony 1-1.

##### TOP TACKLERS (T-UA-A)

Penn State-Cabinda, Jason 9-6-3; Golden, Malik 8-5-3; Allen, Marcus 6-5-1; Bowen, Manny 6-5-1; Bell, Brandon 5-3-2; Smith, Brandon 4-3-1. Purdue-Bailey, Markus 7-6-1; Bentley, Ja'Whaun 6-6-0; Hunte, Da'Wan 5-3-2; Clark, Leroy 4-4-0; Robinson, Gelen 4-1-3.

## GAME 9

IOWA 14



41 PENN STATE

BEAVER STADIUM

NOV. 5, 2016

ATTN: 106,194



## GAME RECAP

UNIVERSITY PARK, Pa. - No. 12 Penn State led from the game's opening drive to the finish, as another 200-plus all-purpose yard performance by Saquon Barkley and a staunch run defense that yielded just 30 yards carried Penn State to a 41-14 victory over Iowa.

Penn State totaled 599 yards of total offense, its most since totaling 661 against Rutgers in 1995, and its most in a Big Ten game since totaling 653 against Michigan State in 1994. Barkley paced a Penn State rushing attack that totaled 359 yards, as he rushed for 167 yards, including a 57-yard touchdown run. He also added a 44-yard touchdown reception to total 211 all-purpose yards.

The Nittany Lions defense limited Iowa to just 234 yards, including just 30 on the ground. The last time Penn State held a Big Ten team to 30 yards rushing or fewer was Indiana in 2012 (24 yards). It was also the fewest rushing yards allowed by Penn State since holding Massachusetts to three yards in 2014.

It marked the second consecutive week Penn State held the opposition to 46 yards or less.

## Turning Point

Penn State took control of the game from the start, building a 21-0 lead by the midpoint of the second quarter. Wide receiver Saeed Blacknall pulled in a 19-yard touchdown reception on the game's opening drive, and then the Nittany Lions found the end zone on consecutive drives in the second quarter. Barkley broke free for a 57-yard touchdown run on Penn State's first drive of the second quarter, and after an Iowa three-and-out, three consecutive completions to tight end Mike Gesicki placed the Lions at the 1, where McCorley took it across the goal line himself.

## Difference Makers

## Penn State

- RB Saquon Barkley - Barkley totaled 211 all-purpose yards rushing 20 times for 169 yards and a 57-yard touchdown and catching a career-long 44-yard touchdown reception on wheel route. He now has 1,055 rushing yards for the season and he is the eighth Penn State player to have multiple 1,000-yard rushing seasons in his career. It was his fourth 100-yard rushing game of the season.
- QB Trace McCorley - McCorley was successful in the air and on the ground, completing 11-of-18 pass attempts for 240 yards and two touchdowns, while adding 40 yards and a touchdown on 14 keepers on the ground. It was his sixth 200-yard passing game of the season.
- WR Chris Godwin - Godwin caught four passes for 87 yards.
- TE Mike Gesicki - Gesicki caught four passes for 65 yards, with three coming consecutively on one drive in the second quarter, setting up a 1-yard touchdown run for McCorley. Gesicki caught a 43-yard pass that was originally ruled a 44-yard touchdown, but the officials ruled his knee was down at the 1 after a review.

- QB Tommy Stevens - Stevens totaled 71 yards and a touchdown on five carries, all in the fourth quarter.
- Penn State Defense - The Nittany Lions held Iowa to just 234 yards of offense, and just 30 yards on the ground.
- LB Jason Cabinda - Cabinda led Penn State with eight tackles and made a key fourth down stop in the fourth quarter to prevent the Hawkeyes from gaining early momentum.
- DT Kevin Givens, LB Koa Farmer, DE Evan Schwan - The trio accounted for three of Penn State's four sacks as the Nittany Lions also totaled six tackles for loss.

## Iowa

- QB C.J. Beathard - Beathard totaled 204 yards and two touchdowns on 18 completions on 26 attempts. He was intercepted once and sacked four times.
- WR Jermaine Smith - Smith tied for the team lead with five receptions and a touchdown, totaling a team-best 85 yards receiving.
- DB Brandon Snyder - Snyder posted a game-high 12 tackles (eight solo), as well as two behind the line.
- LB Josey Jewell - Jewell made 10 tackles and blocked a field goal in the first quarter.

## Key Drives

## PENN STATE, 1st Qtr, 15:00-12:43 - TOUCHDOWN

A career-long 48-yard kickoff return by Miles Sanders gave Penn State the ball at its own 48 to start the game. Barkley rushed for 19 yards over three carries and McCorley broke-off a 14-yard run on third-and-2 to the Iowa 19. On the very next play, McCorley went to the air and four Saeed Blacknall in the back corner of the end zone for a 19-yard touchdown reception.

## PENN STATE, 2nd Qtr, 9:19-7:58 - TOUCHDOWN

The drive was all Mike Gesicki until his apparent touchdown was overturned on video review. Starting at the Penn State 38, McCorley connected with Gesicki for 13 yards and five yards before finding him wide open down the right sideline. Gesicki lunged for the end zone and it was called a touchdown on the field, but moved back to the 1 on review. McCorley took it himself for a 21-0 lead.

## PENN STATE, 4th Qtr, 14:49-14:41 - TOUCHDOWN

Troy Apke's first career interception gave Penn State the ball on the Iowa 44. On the first play, McCorley connected with Saquon Barkley on a wheel route down the right sideline, and Barkley scampered into the end zone untouched for the 44-yard score and 34-7 advantage.

## SCORING SUMMARY

	1	2	3	4	OT	F
IOWA	0	7	0	7	-	14
PSU	7	17	3	14	-	41

1st	12:43	PSU	6-52/2:17/0-7
	Saeed Blacknall 19 yd pass from McCorley (Davis kick)		
2nd	10:28	PSU	6-80/3:07/0-14
	Saquon Barkley 57 yd run (Davis kick)		
	7:58	PSU	4-62/1:21/0-21
	Trace McCorley 1 yd run (Davis kick)		
	4:18	IOWA	7-75/3:40/7-21
	Akrum Wadley 12 yd pass from Beathard (Duncan kick)		
	0:00	PSU	10-63/4:13/7-24
	Tyler Davis 30 yd field goal		
3rd	2:48	PSU	11-31/4:20/7-27
	Tyler Davis 37 yd field goal		
4th	14:41	PSU	1-44/0:08/7-34
	Saquon Barkley 44 yd pass from McCorley (Davis kick)		
	9:28	PSU	6-58/3:26/7-41
	Tommy Stevens 13 yd run (Davis kick)		
	6:30	IOWA	9-81/2:54/14-41
	Jermaine Smith 36 yd pass from Beathard (Duncan kick)		

## TEAM STATS

	IOWA	PSU
First Downs	14	24
Rushing Yards	30	359
Passing Yards	204	240
Passing (C-A-Int)	18-26-1	11-18-0
Total Offense	234	599
Plays	52	70
Fumbles (#-Lost)	0-0	0-0
Penalties (#-Yards)	4-24	9-86
Possession Time	24:57	35:03
3rd-Done Conv.	2-10	7-14
Red-Zone	1-1	5-7
Touchdowns	1	3
Field goals	0	2

## OTHER

Time of Game	3:08
Iowa	5-4, 3-3 B1G
Penn State	7-2, 5-1 B1G

## INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

## RUSHING

Iowa-Wadley, Akrum 9-28; Daniels, LeShun 10-18; Beathard, C.J. 7-minus 16.  
 Penn State-Barkley, Saquon 20-167; Stevens, Tommy 5-70; McCorley, Trace 14-40; Sanders, Miles 5-34; Allen, Mark 5-30; Robinson, Andre 3-18.

## PASSING

Iowa-Beathard, C.J. 18-26-1-204.  
 Penn State-McCorley, Trace 11-18-0-240.

## RECEIVING

Iowa-Smith, Jermaine 5-85; Wadley, Akrum 5-32; McCarron, Riley 4-42; Daniels, LeShun 2-36; Kittle, George 2-9.  
 Penn State-Godwin, Chris 4-87; Gesicki, Mike 4-65; Barkley, Saquon 1-44; Thompkins, DeAndre 1-25; Blacknall, Saeed 1-19.

## TOP TACKLERS (T-UA-A)

Iowa-Snyder, Brandon 12-8-4; Jewell, Josey 10-5-5; Bower, Bo 7-5-2; Johnson, Jaleel 6-4-2; Taylor, Miles 5-3-2; Hesse, Parker 5-2-3.  
 Penn State-Cabinda, Jason 9-1-8; Bowen, Manny 4-1-3; Smith, Brandon 4-1-3; Eight Tied with 3



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## 2016 SEASON IN REVIEW

### GAME 10

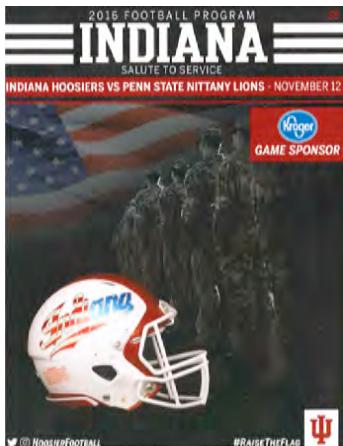
PENN STATE 45



31 INDIANA

MEMORIAL STADIUM  
ABC/ESPN2

NOV. 12, 2016  
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### GAME RECAP

**BLOOMINGTON, Ind.** - Trailing by 10 points late in the third quarter, No. 10 Penn State outscored Indiana, 31-7, in the final 16:09, to earn a 45-31 victory in Big Ten football action in Memorial Stadium. The win extended Penn State's winning streak to six games, marking the first time since 1994 that it has won six straight against conference opponents in the same season.

Trace McSorley led the Penn State comeback, completing 6-of-9 pass attempts for 183 yards and a touchdown after Indiana went ahead 24-14 with 3:13 remaining in the third quarter. He finished the day with 332 yards passing and two passing touchdowns, completing 16-of-30 passing attempts. He also scored the game's first touchdown on the ground.

Despite being limited to 58 yards rushing on a career-high 33 carries, Saquon Barkley scored two touchdowns in the fourth quarter, including the game-winner. Aiding McSorley were three receivers totaling 80-plus yards receiving. Chris Godwin caught five receptions for 82 yards and two touchdowns to lead the group, while tight end Mike Gesicki caught five passes for a career-high 88 yards and DaeSean Hamilton caught three passes for 83 yards, including a 54-yard catch that set up a touchdown run in the fourth quarter.

Turnovers were a factor, as Penn State was able to recover all five of Indiana's fumbles, including four in the first half. The fifth fumble was scooped up by Torrence Brown, who returned it nine yards for a touchdown to seal the win. The Lions had a pair of turnovers of their own on a pair of McSorley interceptions.

The game featured five lead changes and two ties.

#### Turning Point

Penn State answered after Indiana went ahead by 10 late in the third quarter. McSorley flipped the field on the second play of the ensuing possession, finding Saeed Blacknall for 43 yards to the Indiana 31. After a 10-yard rush by the Lions and an Indiana offsides penalty, McSorley hit Godwin in the end zone for a 21-yard touchdown, slicing the deficit to three.

The Penn State defense forced a three-and-out and Penn State scored promptly, as a 54-yard toss to Hamilton on a flea-flicker highlighted the drive, putting Barkley to in position to score from just four yards out and give Penn State a 28-24 lead.

Indiana answered with a 40-yard touchdown pass from Richard Lagow to Nick Westbrook to retake the lead 31-28, but it would be the Hoosiers' last score.

After both teams traded punts, Penn State took over from its own 43 with 6:51 remaining. McSorley and Barkley led the Lions down the field, and Barkley scored from two yards out for the game-winning score. A field goal and fumble return for a touchdown put the game out of reach.

#### Difference Makers

##### Penn State

- QB Trace McSorley – McSorley posted his third 300-yard passing game of the season, throwing for 332 yards, which is tied for 14th on Penn State's single-game list, and two touchdowns. He also rushed for 13 yards and a touchdown.
- RB Saquon Barkley – Barkley totaled 92 all-purpose yards, rushing a career-high 33 times for 58 yards and catching two passes for 34 yards, including a 32-yarder that ignited the game-opening touchdown drive. His two rushing touchdowns in the fourth quarter proved to be decisive in the game.
- WR Chris Godwin – Godwin caught five passes for 82 yards and two touchdowns. He became the eighth player in Penn State history to reach 2,000-career receiving yards.
- Fumble Forcers and Recoverees – Brandon Bell and safety Malik Golden both recovered and forced a fumble each. Bell's forced fumble led to defensive end Torrence Brown's scoop-and-score. Brown was joined by cornerback Christian Campbell and defensive tackle Kevin Givens in recovering fumbles.
- LB Brandon Bell – In addition to factoring in on two turnovers, Bell tied for second on the team with nine tackles, including 2.5 stops behind the line and the sack-fumble that led to Brown's touchdown.
- DE Garrett Sickels – Sickels matched Bell's 2.5 stops behind the line and factored in on 1.5 sacks. Penn State totaled nine TFLs and three sacks.

##### Indiana

- QB Richard Lagow – Lagow led a Hoosier passing attack that totaled 344 yards, as he completed 23-of-40 passes for 292 yards and two touchdowns without an interception. Zander Diamont completed a 52-yard pass on his lone attempt.
- RB Devine Redding – Redding totaled 108 yards and two touchdowns on 23 carries.
- Receivers – Eight different Hoosiers caught a pass, with all eight catching at least two balls. Mitchell Paige led in receptions with six for 43 yards, while Camion Patrick led in yardage with 91 on three catches. Nick Westbrook caught three passes for 85 yards and a 40-yard score in the fourth quarter, while Ricky Jones caught three passes for 32 yards and a touchdown.
- LBs Tegray Scales and Marcus Oliver – Scales and Oliver tallied 3.5 and 3.0 tackles for loss, respectively, as Indiana totaled 16 for the game.
- DB Tony Fields – Fields posted eight tackles, including 1.5 for loss, and hauled in an interception.

### SCORING SUMMARY

	1	2	3	4	OT	F
PSU	7	7	7	24	-	45
IND	0	14	10	7	-	31

1st	11:28	PSU	7-60/3:32/7-0
	Trace McSorley 10 yd run (Davis kick)		
2nd	12:13	IND	8-60/2:40/7-7
	Ricky Jones 5 yd pass from Lagow (Oakes kick)		
	4:43	PSU	1-6/0:06/14-7
	Chris Godwin 6 yd pass from McSorley (Davis kick)		
	1:00	IND	5-32/1:05/14-14
	Devine Redding 12 yd run (Oakes kick)		
3rd	11:38	IND	9-52/3:22/14-17
	Griffin Oakes 47 yd field goal		
	3:13	IND	5-74/1:41/14-24
	Devine Redding 6 yd run (Oakes kick)		
	1:09	PSU	4-70/2:04/21-24
	Chris Godwin 21 yd pass from McSorley (Davis kick)		
4th	12:23	PSU	5-74/2:06/28-24
	Saquon Barkley 4 yd run (Davis kick)		
	11:06	IND	7-75/1:17/28-31
	Nick Westbrook 40 yd pass from Lagow (Oakes kick)		
	3:58	PSU	7-57/2:53/35-31
	Saquon Barkley 2 yd run (Davis kick)		
	1:07	PSU	4-0/1:42/38-31
	Tyler Davis 39 yd field goal		
	0:29	PSU	45-31
	Torrence Brown 9 yd fumble recovery (Davis kick)		

### TEAM STATS

	PSU	IND
First Downs	18	20
Rushing Yards	77	110
Passing Yards	332	344
Passing (C-A-Int)	16-30-2	24-41-0
Total Offense	409	454
Plays	75	82
Fumbles (#-Lost)	0-0	5-5
Penalties (#-Yards)	5-40	8-80
Possession Time	33:39	26:21
3rd-Down Conv.	4-14	8-17
Red-Zone	5-5	3-4
Touchdowns	4	3
Field goals	1	0

### OTHER

Time of Game	3:40
Penn State	8-2, 6-1 B1G
Indiana	5-5, 3-4 B1G

### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

#### RUSHING

Penn State-Barkley, Saquon 33-58; McSorley, Trace 8-13; Robinson, Andre 2-8; Stevens, Tommy 1-0; Sanders, Miles 1-minus 2.  
Indiana-Redding, Devine 23-108; Nataee, Tyler 6-27; Rodriguez, Alex 5-8; Paige, Mitchell 1-5; Brookins, Ricky 1-2; Williams, D. 2-minus 3; Lagow, Richard 3-minus 37.

#### PASSING

Penn State-McSorley, Trace 16-30-2-332.  
Indiana-Lagow, Richard 23-40-0-292; Diamont, Zander 1-1-0-52.

#### RECEIVING

Penn State-Gesicki, Mike 5-88; Godwin, Chris 5-82; Hamilton, DaeSean 3-85; Barkley, Saquon 2-34; Blacknall, Saeed 1-43.  
Indiana-Paige, Mitchell 6-43; Patrick, Camion 3-91; Westbrook, Nick 3-85; Jones, Ricky 3-32; Redding, Devine 3-8; Hale, Donavan 2-45; Timian, Luke 2-35; Brookins, Ricky 2-5.

#### TOP TACKLERS (T-UA-A)

Penn State-Allen, Marcus 10-5-5; Cabinda, Jason 9-8-1; Bell, Brandon 9-6-3; Golden, Malik 6-6-0.  
Indiana-Fields, Tony 8-8-0; Scales, Tegray 8-6-2; Oliver, Marcus 7-6-1; Dutra, Chase 4-4-0; Gooch, Greg 4-3-1

## GAME 11

PENN STATE 39



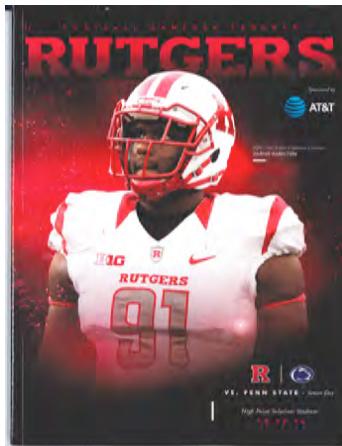
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0 RUTGERS

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NOV. 19, 2016

ATTN: 51,366



## GAME RECAP

**PISCATAWAY, N.J.** — No. 8 Penn State held Rutgers to 87 yards and five first downs as the Nittany Lions shutout the Scarlet Knights, 39-0, in Big Ten football action in High Point Solutions Stadium.

It was Penn State's first shutout since blanking Illinois last season and is the largest road shutout victory since joining the Big Ten in 1993. The 87 yards and five first downs allowed are both Big Ten records for Penn State.

Penn State used the leg of Tyler Davis, a productive rushing attack and another strong game from quarterback Trace McSorley, as the Nittany Lions totaled 549 yards of offense against Rutgers.

The 549 yards of offense are the sixth-most in a Big Ten game by Penn State. It was Penn State's fourth game with 500 or more yards off offense this season for its most since 2009.

Davis kicked a career-high four field goals, including three in the first half to give Penn State a 9-0 lead at the halftime break. Running back Saquon Barkley totaled 92 yards and a touchdown to lead six rushers that totaled 339 yards. McSorley completed 17-of-33 pass attempts for 210 yards and a touchdown and also rushed for 55 yards on 11 carries for 265 yards of total offense.

The Nittany Lions were unable to find the end zone in the first half, but Barkley scored the Nittany Lions' first touchdown of the game early in the third quarter after a blocked punt by Juwan Johnson. Davis added another field goal and Andre Robinson rushed into the end zone from two yards out for a 25-0 lead at the end of the third quarter.

Running back Mark Allen scampered down the sideline for a 27-yard touchdown reception with 7:59 remaining, and quarterback Tommy Stevens scored from 12 yards out with 4:07 remaining for the game's final score.

## Turning Point

Rutgers started with the ball in the second half, but the Penn State defense forced a three-and-out, and then Juwan Johnson blocked the ensuing punt. Garrett Taylor recovered it at the Rutgers 10-yard line, setting up the first Nittany Lion touchdown drive of the game. Penn State scored 30 points in the second half to put the game out of reach.

## Difference Makers

## Penn State

• QB Trace McSorley — Trace McSorley totaled 265 yards of total offense, completing 17-of-33 passes for 210 yards and a touchdown and also rushing for 55 yards, with a long of 28, on 11 carries. It was his eighth game with 200 or more passing yards of the season and 12th consecutive with a touchdown pass.

- RB Saquon Barkley — Barkley totaled 117 all-purpose yards, rushing 16 times for 92 yards and a touchdown and catching two passes for 25 yards. It was his 14th rushing touchdown of the season, giving him the Penn State sophomore record and the most for a Nittany Lion since Larry Johnson had 20 in 2002. However, Barkley had his streak of 14 consecutive games with at least one run of 20+ yards snapped. It was the second-longest streak in college football in the last 20 years (LaMichael James - 19), according to the Big Ten Network.
- K Tyler Davis — Davis scored 15 of Penn State's 39 points, converting a career-high four field goal attempts and three extra points. Four of Penn State's first five scores were field goals.
- Rushing Attack — Led by Barkley, Penn State totaled 339 yards rushing. In addition to Barkley and McSorley, Miles Sanders was second on the ledger with a career-high 85 yards on five carries, including career-long run of 57 yards. Tommy Stevens rushed for 61 yards on six carries and a touchdown. Mark Allen added 26 yards on five carries and Andre Robinson rushed for 20 yards and a touchdown on six carries.
- TE Mike Gesicki — Gesicki led all receivers with five catches for 47 yards. It gave him a Penn State tight end record for receptions in a season with 42.
- LB Brandon Bell — Bell led the Nittany Lion defense with five tackles and a strip-sack. It was his sixth career forced fumble and second this season.
- Defense — Over 20 different Nittany Lions recorded a tackle, as the Nittany Lions held Rutgers to five first downs and 87 yards of offense (48 pass, 39 rush).

## Key Drives

## PENN STATE, 3rd Qtr, 13:53-12:33 - TOUCHDOWN

After Juwan Johnson blocked a Rutgers punt, Penn State's first drive of the second half started at the Rutgers 10. McSorley rushed for 5 yards, and then Barkley rushed for 4 and then into the end zone from 1-yard out.

## PENN STATE, 3rd Qtr, 5:33-3:32 - TOUCHDOWN

Barkley started the drive off with an 18-yard run to the Rutgers 45, and two plays later, Godwin caught a 22-yard reception to move Penn State to the 14. Barkley rushed to the 5, and Andre Robinson took it from there for the touchdown.

## The Rest

Mark Allen added a 27-yard touchdown reception with 7:59 remaining to cap a 12-play, 95-yard drive, and Tommy Stevens rushed for a 12-yard touchdown with 4:07 remaining to end a four-play, 74-yard drive that included Miles Sanders' 57-yard run.

## INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

## RUSHING

Penn State-Barkley, Saquon 16-92; Sanders, Miles 5-85; Stevens, Tommy 6-61; McSorley, Trace 11-55; Allen, Mark 5-26; Robinson, Andre 6-20.

Rutgers-Goodwin, Justin 10-20; Oden, Tylin 7-19; Rescigno, Giovanni 9-10; Martin, Robert 2-5; Bailey, Dacoven 1-2; TEAM 2-minus 8; Hicks, Josh 2-minus 9.

## PASSING

Penn State-McSorley, Trace 17-33-0-210; Stevens, Tommy 0-0-0-0.

Rutgers-Rescigno, Giovanni 7-16-0-48; Oden, Tylin 0-1-0-0.

## RECEIVING

Penn State-Gesicki, Mike 5-47; Thompkins, DeAndre 4-40; Godwin, Chris 3-36; Hamilton, DaeSean 2-35; Barkley, Saquon 2-25; Allen, Mark 1-27.

Rutgers-Patton, Andre 4-29; Harris, Jawuan 1-19; Tsimis, John 1-3; Goodwin, Justin 1-minus 3.

## TOP TACKLERS (T-UA-A)

Penn State-Bell, Brandon 5-3-2; Cothren, Parker 4-3-1; Cabinda, Jason 3-3-0; Reid, John 3-3-0; Smith, Brandon 3-2-1; Smith, Jordan 3-2-1; Oruwariye, Amani 3-1-2; Brown, Cam 3-0-3.

Indiana-Rutgers-Hampton, Saquan 11-7-4; Morris, Trevor 10-6-4; Cioffi, Anthony 10-6-4; Roberts, Deonte 8-3-5; Hamilton, Darius 7-4-3; Pinnix-Odrick, Julian 6-4-2; Wharton, Isaia 5-2-3.

## SCORING SUMMARY

	1	2	3	4	OT	F
<b>PSU</b>	6	3	16	14	-	39
<b>RU</b>	0	0	0	0	-	0
1st						
6:34	PSU					11-46/4:14/3-0
Tyler Davis 32 yd field goal						
1:42	PSU					11-64/2:27/6-0
Tyler Davis 34 yd field goal						
2nd						
5:28	PSU					7-6/1:41/9-0
Tyler Davis 40 yd field goal						
12:33	PSU					3-10/1:20/16-0
Saquon Barkley 1 yd run (Davis kick)						
6:46	PSU					8-41/3:54/19-0
Tyler Davis 32 yd field goal						
3:32	PSU					6-63/2:01/25-0
Andre Robinson 2 yd run (Fessler pass failed)						
4th						
7:59	PSU					12-95/5:54/32-0
Mark Allen 27 yd pass from McSorley (Davis kick)						
4:07	PSU					4-74/2:03/39-0
Tommy Stevens 12 yd run (Davis kick)						

## TEAM STATS

	PSU	RU
First Downs	25	5
Rushing Yards	339	39
Passing Yards	210	48
Passing (C-A-Int)	17-33-0	7-17-0
Total Offense	549	87
Plays	82	50
Fumbles (#-Lost)	1-1	3-0
Penalties (#-Yards)	3-15	6-50
Possession Time	33:42	26:18
3rd-Down Conv.	10-19	1-14
Red-Zone	7-8	0-1
Touchdowns	3	0
Field goals	4	0

## OTHER

Time of Game	3:09
Penn State	9-2, 7-1 B1G
Rutgers	2-9, 0-8 B1G

# 2016 SEASON IN REVIEW

## GAME 12

MICHIGAN STATE 12



45 PENN STATE

BEAVER STADIUM  
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NOV. 26, 2016  
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### GAME RECAP

UNIVERSITY PARK, Pa. - It was a historic Saturday night in Beaver Stadium, led by a 376-yard, four-touchdown passing performance by quarterback Trace McSorley and a second-half shutout on defense, No. 7 Penn State defeated Michigan State, 45-12, to clinch a share of the Big Ten East Division title and earn a trip to the Big Ten Championship in Indianapolis.

It's Penn State's second Big Ten divisional championship and it will be its first championship game appearance since the conference adopted the format in 2011. Penn State owns three overall Big Ten titles and two divisional crowns since joining the conference in 1993.

The victory extended Penn State's winning streak to eight for its longest since tallying nine in a row in 2008. It's also Penn State's sixth 10-win regular season since joining the Big Ten and its first since 2009. Penn State has eight Big Ten wins for just the second time, and the Nittany Lions also finished the regular season 7-0 at home for the first time since 2008.

Penn State trailed Michigan State, 12-10 at halftime, but true to form, the Nittany Lions rallied in the second half, outscoring the Spartans, 35-0.

McSorley led an offensive onslaught in the third quarter on Penn State's first three offensive possessions, throwing touchdown passes of 34 yards to Chris Godwin, 45 yards to Mike Gesicki and 59 yards again to Godwin to build a 31-12 lead.

Senior linebacker Brandon Bell led the Penn State defense with 18 tackles. The unit surrendered 256 yards and four field goals in the first half, but yielded just 87 yards and no scores in the second half. The Nittany Lion defense held opponents without a touchdown in back-to-back games for the first time since 2009 and the first time since 2006 in Big Ten games.

#### Turning Point

The Penn State defense failed to get a stop in the first half, but did not allow a touchdown, and the Nittany Lions only trailed by two at the break. The defense forced a three-and-out after Michigan State received the kickoff to open the second half, and it was all Penn State from there, as McSorley threw touchdowns on the Lions' next three drives to open a 31-12 lead.

#### Difference Makers

##### Penn State

- QB Trace McSorley - Trace McSorley completed 17-of-23 passes for a career-high 376 yards and a personal-best four touchdowns, going 10-for-14 for 265 yards and the four touchdowns after halftime. He extended his consecutive games with a touchdown pass streak to 13, dating back to last season's TaxSlayer Bowl, and his 12-straight

games this season ties a program record first set by Matt McGloin in 2012. It was his fourth 300-yard passing game of the season, tying a program mark held by Matt McGloin (2012) and Christian Hackenberg (2013 and 2014).

- WR Chris Godwin - Godwin enjoyed his first 100-plus receiving yard game since the Temple game in September and the eighth of his career, finishing with five catches for 135 yards. He had touchdowns of 34 and 59 yards, and his nine touchdowns this season break the Penn State record for touchdown receptions by a junior.
- TE Mike Gesicki - Gesicki hauled in a pair of passes to total 64 yards, including a 45-yard touchdown in the third quarter. With the 64 yards, he set a Penn State record for receiving yards in a season by tight end with 610.
- RB Andre Robinson - Robinson scored the game's final two touchdowns, scoring a 14-yard rush and a career-long 40-yard reception. He led Penn State with 32 rushing yards on three carries.
- RB Saquon Barkley - In the second quarter, Barkley scored Penn State's first touchdown of the game, leaping over a Michigan State defender for a 1-yard score. It was his 22nd career rushing touchdown to give him sole possession of 15th place on the Penn State career list. His 14 rushing yards in the game gave him 1,219 for the season, moving him into 12th place all-time at Penn State.
- LB Brandon Bell - Bell tied his career high for tackles of 18. His other 18-tackle game came against Ohio State earlier this season.
- Pass Rush - Defensive tackles Kevin Givens and Parker Cothren and linebacker Manny Bowen recorded a sack each, while defensive linemen Curtis Cothren and Evan Schwan combined for a sack.

#### Key Drives

##### PENN STATE, 3rd Qtr, 13:13-11:02 - TOUCHDOWN

Michigan State received the kickoff to start the half but was stopped for the first time, going three-and-out after a third-down sack by Curtis Cothren and Evan Schwan moved the Spartans back to their own 8. The ensuing punt went 44 yards to the Penn State 48. The Lions advanced to the 34 over the next four plays, and then McSorley found a wide-open Chris Godwin in the end zone on a play-action pass to give Penn State a lead it would not relinquish.

##### PENN STATE, 3rd Qtr, 2:54-2:05 - TOUCHDOWN

With Penn State leading 24-12, Michigan State appeared poised to make it a one-score game, but a botched snap was recovered by Troy Apke at the Penn State 41. After Barkley carried the ball for three yards, McSorley found Godwin behind the secondary on a post route for a 59-yard touchdown.

### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

#### RUSHING

Michigan State-Scott, LJ 16-59; Holmes, Gerald 6-23; Shelton, R.J. 3-15; Terry, Damion 4-13; Williams, Delton 3-10; Corley, Donnie 2-8; O'Connor, Tyler 8-minus 19.

Penn State-Robinson, Andre 3-32; Barkley, Saquon 12-14; McSorley, Trace 10-13; Allen, Mark 2-8; Paye, Irvine 1-7; Sanders, Miles 4-5; TEAM 1-minus 2.

#### PASSING

Michigan State-O'Connor, Tyler 17-33-0-118; Terry, Damion 7-12-0-101; Shelton, R.J. 1-1-0-15.

Penn State-McSorley, Trace 17-23-0-376; Stevens, Tommy 1-1-0-10.

#### RECEIVING

Michigan State-Price, Josiah 6-63; Shelton, R.J. 5-74; Corley, Donnie 4-33; Madaris, Monty 4-30; Lyles, Jamal 2-13; Holmes, Gerald 2-5; Terry, Damion 1-15; Williams, Delton 1-1.

Penn State-Godwin, Chris 5-135; Blacknall, Saeed 3-29; Gesicki, Mike 2-64; Thompkins, DeAndre 2-38; Barkley, Saquon 2-11; Johnson, Juwan 1-43; Robinson, Andre 1-40; Hamilton, DaeSean 1-16; Paye, Irvine 1-10.

#### TOP TACKLERS (T-UA-A)

Michigan State-Nicholson, Montae 8-5-3; Bullough, Riley 8-2-6; Frey, Chris 6-4-2; Dowell, Andrew 6-1-5; Miller, Grayson 5-3-2.

Penn State-Bell, Brandon 18-3-15; Bowen, Manny 9-4-5; Sickels, Garrett 8-4-4; Cabinda, Jason 8-0-8; Oruwariye, Amani 7-4-3; Allen, Marcus 7-2-5; Apke, Troy 7-1-6.

### SCORING SUMMARY

	1	2	3	4	OT	F
<b>MSU</b>	6	6	0	0	-	12
<b>PSU</b>	0	10	21	14	-	45

1st	8:13	MSU	12-76/4:33/3-0
	Michael Geiger 28 yd field goal		
2:44	MSU	11-49/4:19/6-0	
	Michael Geiger 36 yd field goal		
2nd	13:11	PSU	10-60/4:24/6-3
	Tyler Davis 35 yd field goal		
7:17	MSU	13-59/5:54/9-3	
	Michael Geiger 33 yd field goal		
2:14	PSU	10-78/4:57/9-10	
	Saquon Barkley 1 yd run (Davis kick)		
0:10	MSU	14-72/2:04/12-10	
	Michael Geiger 21 yd field goal		
3rd	11:02	PSU	5-52/2:11/12-17
	Chris Godwin 34 yd pass from McSorley (Davis kick)		
7:03	PSU	5-69/1:51/12-24	
	Mike Gesicki 45 yd pass from McSorley (Davis kick)		
2:05	PSU	2-62/0:49/12-31	
	Chris Godwin 59 yd pass from McSorley (Davis kick)		
4th	6:33	PSU	4-42/1:49/12-38
	Andre Robinson 14 yd run (Davis kick)		
3:40	PSU	4-83/0:46/12-45	
	Andre Robinson 40 yd pass from McSorley (Davis kick)		

### TEAM STATS

	MSU	PSU
First Downs	26	18
Rushing Yards	109	77
Passing Yards	234	386
Passing (C-A-Int)	25-46-0	18-24-0
Total Offense	343	463
Plays	88	57
Fumbles (#-Lost)	1-1	3-0
Penalties (#-Yards)	4-23	1-15
Possession Time	34:24	25:36
3rd-Down Conv.	9-20	4-10
Red-Zone	4-4	3-4
Touchdowns	0	2
Field goals	4	1

### OTHER

Time of Game	3:31
Michigan State	3-9, 1-8 B1G
Penn State	10-2, 8-1 B1G

## B1G CHAMPIONSHIP

WISCONSIN 31



38 PENN STATE



LUCAS OIL STADIUM

FOX

DEC. 3, 2016

ATTN: 65,018

## GAME RECAP

INDIANAPOLIS - No. 7 Penn State stayed true to form with a sensational second half, as quarterback Trace McSorley led a thrilling 21-point comeback to defeat No. 6 Wisconsin, 38-31, to win the 2016 Big Ten Championship.

McSorley threw for a Big Ten Championship game-record 384 yards and a record four touchdown passes, including three in the final 31 minutes, to lead Penn State to its fourth Big Ten Championship and first since 2008. Accordingly, McSorley was named the Grange-Griffin Most Valuable Player.

Penn State fell behind 28-7 with 5:15 remaining in the second quarter but rallied for its fourth double-digit comeback of the season - a program first - and its largest since rallying from 21 points down against Northwestern in 2010. The Lions continued their second-half success, outscoring Wisconsin, 24-3 in the second half. The win also extended the Nittany Lions' winning streak to nine games, its longest since 2008, and gave Penn State its sixth 11-win season in the Big Ten era.

DaeSean Hamilton and Saeed Blacknall were McSorley's top targets, as Hamilton caught eight passes for 118 yards and Blacknall caught six passes for a Big Ten Championship game record 155 yards and two touchdowns. Blacknall had a 40-yard touchdown reception with 58 seconds remaining in the first half to bring the Lions within two touchdowns, 28-14, and then he caught a 70-yard touchdown on Penn State's first play of the second half to bring the Lions within one score, 28-21.

Saquon Barkley, who finished with 83 yards on 19 carries, scored the game-clinching touchdowns, rushing for a yard to the goal line with 4:22 remaining in the third quarter to tie the game at 28-28, and then hauling in the go-ahead score on an over-the-shoulder 18-yard touchdown pass with 13:41 to go to put the Lions ahead for good, 35-31.

Tyler Davis added a field goal with 5:14 remaining for a 38-31 lead, and the Nittany Lions withstood the Badgers' last offensive push, as Grant Haley stopped Wisconsin's Corey Clement on fourth-and-1 at the Penn State 24 with 1:01 remaining.

## Turning Point

The Nittany Lions turned the momentum in their favor late in the first half, driving 90 yards on eight plays in just 1:27. McSorley found Blacknall for a 40-yard touchdown to cap the drive and pull Penn State within two scores before the halftime break. Penn State had to kickoff to start the second half, but stopped Wisconsin at the Penn State 30 and Andrew Endicott missed wide right on a 48-yard field goal attempt. McSorley then found Blacknall for a 70-yard touchdown on Penn State's first play from scrimmage, and the comeback was on.

## Difference Makers

## Penn State

- QB Trace McSorley - McSorley completed 22-of-31 passes for a Big Ten Championship game-record 384 yards and a record four touchdowns. It ranks as the fourth-most prolific single-game passing yardage effort in Penn State history. Despite losing 20 yards rushing on the night, including 18 on the game's final play as he ran out the clock, his 364 yards of total offense were a Big Ten Championship game record. It marked the second week in a row throwing for at least 376 yards and two touchdowns for McSorley. He also set the Penn State season passing yards record, reaching 3,360 to pass the record of 3,266 set by Matt McGloin in 2012 and the season passing touchdowns record, reaching 25 to pass the record of 24 set by Darryl Clark (2009) and McGloin (2012).
- WR Saeed Blacknall - Touchdowns of 40 and 70 yards highlighted a six-catch, Big Ten Championship game-record 155 yards receiving.
- WR DaeSean Hamilton - Hamilton kept the chains moving all night, catching eight passes for 118 yards.
- RB Saquon Barkley - Barkley rushed for 83 yards on 19 carries, bringing his season total to a Penn State sophomore record 1,302 yards, and scored the game's last two touchdowns with one on the ground and one through the air.
- TE Mike Gesicki - Gesicki caught Penn State's first score on a 33-yard play and finished with three catches for 58 yards.
- CB Grant Haley - Haley sealed Penn State's win with a fourth-down tackle with 1:01 remaining and made five tackles on the night.
- LB Brandon Bell - Bell made a game-high 13 tackles (10 solo), forced a fumble and recorded one sack. The 13 tackles and 10 solo tackles tie the Big Ten Championship game record.

## Key Drive

PENN STATE, 3rd-4th Qtr, 0:11-13:41 - TOUCHDOWN

McSorley opened the drive with a 38-yard completion to Hamilton on the final play of the third quarter and a 25-yard completion to Hamilton again to start the fourth quarter to move Penn State to the Wisconsin 18. Barkley was stopped at the line on a rush, but then McSorley hit him in stride with an 18-yard touchdown pass for the go-ahead score, 35-31.

## The Rest

Tyler Davis kicked a 24-yard field goal with 5:14 remaining and Grant Haley brought down Corey Clement on fourth-and-1 at the Penn State 24 with 1:01 remaining.

## SCORING SUMMARY

	1	2	3	4	OT	F
WIS	14	14	3	0	-	31
PSU	7	7	14	10	-	38
1st	5:27	WIS				14-81/8:00/7:0
	Austin Ramesh 1 yd run (Endicott kick)					
	3:06	WIS				2-72/0:45/14-0
	Corey Clement 67 yd run (Endicott kick)					
	1:10	PSU				5-75/156/14-7
	Mike Gesicki 33 yd pass from McSorley (Davis kick)					
2nd	9:42	WIS				21-7
	Ryan Connelly 12 yd fumble recovery (Endicott kick)					
	5:15	WIS				5-42/2:31/28-7
	Dare Ogunbowale 7 yd run (Endicott kick)					
	0:58	PSU				8-90/1:27/28-14
	Saeed Blacknall 40 yd pass from McSorley (Davis kick)					
3rd	10:58	PSU				1-70/0:11/28-21
	Saeed Blacknall 70 yd pass from McSorley (Davis kick)					
	4:22	PSU				8-63/3:17/28-28
	Saquon Barkley 1 yd run (Davis kick)					
	0:16	WIS				9-70/4:06/31-28
	Andrew Endicott, A. 23 yd field goal					
4th	13:41	PSU				4-81/1:30/31-35
	Saquon Barkley 18 yd pass from McSorley (Davis kick)					
	5:14	PSU				9-58/4:38/31-38
	Tyler Davis 24 yd field goal					

## TEAM STATS

	WIS	PSU
First Downs	22	21
Rushing Yards	241	51
Passing Yards	174	384
Passing (C-A-Int)	16-21-0	22-31-0
Total Offense	415	435
Plays	70	60
Fumbles (#-Lost)	2-0	2-2
Penalties (#-Yards)	4-40	3-25
Possession Time	36:57	23:03
3rd-Down Conv.	5-12	3-10
Red-Zone	3-3	3-3
Touchdowns	2	2
Field goals	1	1

## OTHER

Time of Game	3:29
Wisconsin	10-3, 7-2 B1G
Penn State	11-2, 8-1 B1G

## INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

## RUSHING

Wisconsin-Clement, Corey 21-164; Shaw, Bradick 15-62; Ogunbowale, Dare 6-26; Peavy, Jazz 1-5; Ramesh, Austin 1-1; Cephus, Quintez 1-minus 3; Houston, Bart 4-minus 14.  
Penn State-Barkley, Saquon 19-83; Robinson, Andre 3-7; TEAM 1-minus 19; McSorley, Trace 6-minus 20.

## PASSING

Wisconsin-Houston, Bart 16-21-0-174.  
Penn State-McSorley, Trace 22-31-0-384.

## RECEIVING

Wisconsin-Peavy, Jazz 4-53; Ogunbowale, Dare 4-28; Clement, Corey 3-43; Fumagalli, Troy 3-30; Steffes, Eric 1-14; Penniston, Kyle 1-6.  
Penn State-Hamilton, DaeSean 8-118; Blacknall, Saeed 6-155; Gesicki, Mike 3-58; Godwin, Chris 3-33; Barkley, Saquon 2-20.

## TOP TACKLERS (T-UA-A)

Wisconsin-Connelly, Ryan 8-6-2; Biegel, Vince 8-6-2; Musso, Leo 6-4-2; Tindal, Derrick 5-4-1; Watt, T.J. 4-3-1; Dixon, D'Cota 4-3-1; Edwards, T.J. 4-1-3.

Penn State-Bell, Brandon 13-10-3; Allen, Marcus 11-6-5; Cabinda, Jason 8-3-5; Golden, Malik 6-4-2; Bowen, Manny 6-3-3; Cothran, Curtis 5-5-0; Haley, Grant 5-4-1.

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## 2016 SEASON IN REVIEW

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49 PENN STATE

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#### GAME RECAP

**PASADENA, Calif.** - Penn State running back Saquon Barkley totaled a career-high 306 all-purpose yards and scored three touchdowns and wide receiver Chris Godwin caught nine passes for a career-high 187 yards and two touchdowns, but No. 9 USC rallied in the fourth quarter to win the 103rd annual Rose Bowl Game on a 46-yard field goal as time expired, 52-49.

With 101 combined points, it was the highest-scoring game in the storied history of the Rose Bowl, and both teams trailed by double-digit margins in the thriller.

No. 5 Penn State trailed USC by 13, 27-14, with 6:16 remaining in the second quarter, but scored touchdowns on four consecutive offensive plays from its final play of the first half to its first three plays of the second half, building a 42-27 lead.

Tight end Mike Gesicki caught an 11-yard touchdown pass to start the run and pull Penn State within six before the halftime break. Barkley crisscrossed the field and eluded multiple Trojan defenders for a 79-yard touchdown run on the Nittany Lions' first offensive play of the third quarter, giving Penn State its first lead of the game, 28-27. On Penn State's next possession, quarterback Trace McSorley connected with Godwin for a 72-yard touchdown pass down the sideline. A Brandon Bell interception that he returned 24 yards to the USC 3 then set up a McSorley touchdown run for a game-high 15-point advantage.

The drives ranked as three of the 12 fastest scoring drives in Rose Bowl history, with McSorley's five-second touchdown run setting a record.

Both teams would trade touchdowns before the quarter ended, resulting in a 49-35 Penn State lead, but USC would score 17 points in the fourth quarter to inch back in front.

#### Turning Point

The USC defense was able to keep Penn State off of the scoreboard in the fourth quarter and defensive back Leon McQuay III intercepted a McSorley pass with 50 seconds remaining, setting up the Trojans' game-winning field goal by Matt Boermeester. USC scored twice in the final 1:20 of the game.

#### Difference Makers

##### Penn State

- RB Saquon Barkley – Barkley rushed for 194 yards, setting a Penn State bowl record, and two touchdowns on 25 carries, caught five passes for 55 yards and a touchdown and returned two kickoffs for 57 yards to total a career-high 306 all-purpose yards. Barkley's 79-yard rushing touchdown was the seventh-longest in Rose Bowl history and second-longest scoring run in Penn State bowl history. His 18 points scored are tied for second in Penn State bowl history with Ki-Jana Carter's 1995 Rose Bowl performance.

- WR Chris Godwin – Godwin caught nine passes for a career-high 187 yards and two touchdowns. His 72-yard touchdown reception was his second in a bowl game after he did the same in last season's TaxSlayer Bowl, tying a Penn State record. The other 72-yard touchdown catch in Penn State bowl history was from Tom Shuman to Chuck Herd in the 1974 Orange Bowl. Godwin's 187-yard performance is his third 100-yard game of the season and the ninth of his career. He has registered a 100-yard effort in each of his three bowl games (140 in 2014 Pinstripe Bowl; 133 in 2016 TaxSlayer Bowl) to extend his Penn State bowl career record to 460 yards, which is 188 yards more than second-place Bobby Engram at 272 yards.

- QB Trace McSorley – McSorley completed 18-of-29 passes for 254 yards and four touchdowns, but was intercepted three times. He also rushed six times for 13 yards and a touchdown. McSorley's 72-yard touchdown pass to is tied for the third-longest scoring pass in Rose Bowl history and tied for the longest in Penn State bowl history. His five touchdowns responsible for (4 passing, 1 rushing) are tied for the most in Rose Bowl history and break the Penn State bowl record. McSorley has thrown for a touchdown pass in 15 consecutive games, breaking the school record of 14 set by Kerry Collins over the 1993 and 1994 seasons.

- LB Brandon Bell – Bell made an interception and returned it 24 yards to the USC 3-yard line, setting up a Nittany Lion touchdown drive early in the third quarter.

#### USC

- QB Sam Darnold – Darnold completed 33-of-53 pass attempts for 453 yards and a Rose Bowl record five touchdowns. He threw one interception.
- DB Leon McQuay III – McQuay hauled in USC's third interception of the night at the USC 35 and returned it 32 yards to the Penn State 33, setting up Matt Boermeester's game-winning 46-yard field goal.

#### Key Drives

##### PENN STATE 2nd Qtr, 6:16-0:54 - TOUCHDOWN

McSorley completed 6-of-7 passes for 47 yards, including an 11-yard touchdown pass to Mike Gesicki. Gesicki's catch was another just barely in-bounds in the back right corner of the end zone.

##### USC 4th Qtr, 0:27-0:00 - FIELD GOAL

After a Leon McQuay interception, USC took over from the Penn State 33. Ronald Jones rushed for five yards and Matt Boermeester kicked a game-winning 46-yard field goal.

### INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

#### RUSHING

USC-Jones, Ronald 20-55; Davis, Justin 6-43; Darnold, Sam 5-20; Jackson, Adoree 2-2; Smith-Schuster, JuJu 1-2.  
Penn State-Barkley, Saquon 25-194; McSorley, Trace 6-13; Robinson, Andre 1-4; Allen, Mark 1-0.

#### PASSING

USC-Darnold, Sam 33-53-1-453.  
Penn State-McSorley, Trace 18-29-3-254.

#### RECEIVING

USC-Burnett, Deonta 13-164; Smith-Schuster, JuJu 7-133; Rogers, Darreus 5-42; Imatorbhebe, Daniel 2-25; Jones, Ronald 2-3; Greene, Jalen 1-28; Jackson, Adoree 1-24; Ware, Aca'Cedri 1-20.  
Penn State-Godwin, Chris 9-187; Barkley, Saquon 5-55; Thompkins, DeAndre 2-9; Gesicki, Mike 1-11; Allen, Mark 1-minus-8.

#### TOP TACKLERS (T-UA-A)

USC-Tu'ikolovatu, Stevie 8-6-2; McQuay, Leon 7-0-7; Green, Rasheem 5-4-1; Jackson, Adoree 4-0-4.  
Penn State-Cabinda, Jason 11-7-4; Allen, Marcus 9-5-4; Golden, Malik, 7-0-7; Haley, Grant 7-5-2; Campbell, Christian 6-3-3; Schwan, Evan 4-3-1; Brown, Cam 4-1-3.

#### TEAM STATS

	USC	PSU
First Downs	33	23
Rushing Yards	122	211
Passing Yards	453	254
Passing (C-A-Int)	33-54-1	18-29-3
Total Offense	575	465
Plays	88	62
Fumbles (#-Lost)	0-0	1-0
Penalties (#-Yards)	10-85	5-65
Possession Time	33:21	26:39
3rd-Down Conv.	8-15	4-10
Red-Zone	5-5	3-3
Touchdowns	4	3
Field goals	1	0

#### OTHER

Time of Game	4:12
USC	10-3, 7-2 Pac-12
Penn State	11-3, 8-1 BTG

## 2016 BIG TEN RECAP

## BIG TEN CONFERENCE STANDINGS

CONFERENCE GAMES						ALL GAMES								
EAST DIVISION		W	L	Pct.	PF	PA	W	L	Pct.	H	A	N	PF	PA
Penn State		8	1	.889	201	127	11	3	.786	7-0	3-2	1-1	526	356
Ohio State		8	1	.889	226	87	11	2	.846	7-0	4-1	0-1	512	201
Michigan		7	2	.778	265	76	10	3	.769	8-0	2-2	0-1	524	183
Indiana		4	5	.444	157	187	6	7	.462	4-3	2-3	0-1	335	354
Maryland		3	6	.333	115	231	6	7	.462	4-2	2-4	0-1	335	384
Michigan State		1	8	.111	138	146	3	9	.250	2-5	1-4	0-0	289	333
Rutgers		0	9	.000	40	288	2	10	.167	2-5	0-5	0-0	188	450
WEST DIVISION		W	L	Pct.	PF	PA	W	L	Pct.	H	A	N	PF	PA
Wisconsin		7	2	.778	189	73	11	3	.786	5-1	4-1	2-1	397	218
Iowa		6	3	.667	213	168	8	5	.615	4-3	4-1	0-1	324	245
Nebraska		6	3	.667	191	214	9	4	.692	7-0	2-3	0-1	345	311
Minnesota		5	4	.556	245	200	9	4	.692	6-1	2-3	1-0	381	287
Northwestern		5	4	.556	255	221	7	6	.538	3-4	3-2	1-0	338	289
Illinois		2	7	.222	151	298	3	9	.250	2-5	1-4	0-0	236	383
Purdue		1	8	.111	206	383	3	9	.250	2-5	1-4	0-0	295	459

## BIG TEN INDIVIDUAL STAT LEADERS

RUSHING							SCORING							
	G	ATT.	YARDS	AVG.	TD	LONG	AVG./G	G	TD	FG	XP	2XP	PTS.	PTS./G
1. Justin Jackson, Northwestern	13	298	1524	5.1	15	68	117.2	1. Saquon Barkley, Penn State (12)	14	22	0	0	0	132 9.4
2. Saquon Barkley, Penn State (24)	14	272	1496	5.5	18	81	106.9	2. Tyler Davis, Penn State	14	0	22	62	0	128 9.1
3. Corey Clement, Wisconsin	13	314	1375	4.4	15	68	105.8	3. Tyler Durbin, Ohio State	13	0	17	63	0	114 8.8
4. Rodney Smith, Minnesota	13	240	1158	4.8	16	70	89.1	4. Kenny Allen, Michigan	13	0	19	53	0	110 8.5
5. Devine Redding, Indiana	13	253	1122	4.4	7	36	86.3	5. Emmitt Carpenter, Minnesota	13	0	22	43	0	109 8.4
PASSING AVG./GAME							SCORING (KICK)							
	G	C-A-I	PCT.	YARDS	TD	LONG	AVG./G	G	PATS	FGS	PTS.	PTS./G		
1. David Blough, Purdue	12	295-517-21	57.1	3352	25	89	279.3	1. Tyler Davis, Penn State	14	62-62	22-24	128	9.1	
2. Richard Lagow, Indiana	13	253-438-17	57.8	3362	19	79	258.6	2. Tyler Durbin, Ohio State	13	63-65	17-22	114	8.8	
3. Trace McSorley, Penn State (29)	14	224-387-8	57.9	3614	29	80	258.1	3. Kenny Allen, Michigan	13	53-53	19-23	110	8.5	
4. Clayton Thorson, Northwestern	13	280-478-9	58.6	3182	22	58	244.8	4. Emmitt Carpenter, Minnesota	13	43-44	22-24	109	8.4	
5. Wilton Speight, Michigan	12	204-331-7	61.6	2538	18	56	211.5	5. Michael Geiger, Michigan State	12	30-30	15-19	75	6.3	
PASS EFFICIENCY							PUNT RETURN AVERAGE							
	G	C-A-I	PCT.	YARDS	TD	LONG	RATING	G	NO.	YARDS	TD	LONG	AVG.	
1. Trace McSorley, Penn State (13)	14	224-387-8	57.9	3614	29	80	156.9	1. Riley McCarron, Iowa	13	7	148	1	55	21.1
2. Perry Hills, Maryland	11	122-197-4	61.9	1464	12	66	140.4	2. Jabrill Peppers, Michigan	12	21	310	1	54	14.8
3. Wilton Speight, Michigan	12	204-331-7	61.6	2538	18	56	139.8	3. T. Morgan, Maryland	13	15	161	1	83	10.7
4. J.T. Barrett, Ohio State	13	233-379-7	61.5	2555	24	79	135.3	4. Desmond King, Iowa	13	26	264	0	44	10.2
5. Tyler O'Connor, Michigan State	11	154-262-9	58.8	1970	16	86	135.2							
RECEPTIONS/GAME							KICK RETURN AVERAGE							
	G	REC.	YARDS	TD	LONG	REC./G	G	NO.	YARDS	TD	LONG	AVG.		
1. Austin Carr, Northwestern	13	90	1247	12	58	6.9	1. Rodney Smith, Minnesota	13	8	263	1	94	32.9	
2. Curtis Samuel, Ohio State	13	74	865	7	79	5.7	2. P. Campbell, Ohio State	13	21	584	0	91	27.8	
3. Drew Wolitarsky, Minnesota	13	66	860	5	35	5.1	3. Desmond King, Iowa	13	27	750	0	77	27.8	
4. Mitchell Paige, Indiana	13	58	646	4	42	4.5	4. Jabrill Peppers, Michigan	12	10	260	0	55	26.0	
5. R.J. Shelton, Michigan State	12	53	789	5	86	4.4	5. Solomon Vault, Northwestern	13	23	560	1	95	24.3	
Amara Darboh, Michigan	13	57	862	7	46	4.4								
Malik Turner, Illinois	11	48	712	6	68	4.4								
Chris Godwin, Penn State	14	59	982	11	72	4.2								
RECEIVING YARDS							ALL PURPOSE YARDS							
	G	REC.	YARDS	TD	LONG	AVG./C	G	RUSH	RCV	PR	KR	YARDS	YDS./G	
1. Austin Carr, Northwestern	13	90	1247	12	58	13.9	1. Saquon Barkley, Penn State (21)	14	1496	402	0	74	1972 140.9	
2. DeAngelo Yancey, Purdue	12	49	951	10	88	19.4	2. Justin Jackson, Northwestern	13	1524	219	0	0	1743 134.1	
3. Nick Westbrook, Indiana	13	54	995	6	79	18.4	3. Curtis Samuel, Ohio State	13	771	865	19	0	1655 127.3	
4. Chris Godwin, Penn State	14	59	982	11	72	16.6	4. Rodney Smith, Minnesota	13	1158	188	0	263	1609 123.8	
5. Curtis Samuel, Ohio State	13	74	865	7	79	11.7	5. Corey Clement, Wisconsin	13	1375	132	28	4	1539 118.4	
TOTAL OFFENSE							PUNTING							
	G	RUSH	PASS	PLAYS	TOTAL	YDS./G	G	NO.	YARDS	LONG	AVG.			
1. Trace McSorley, Penn State (25)	14	365	3614	533	3979	284.2	1. Cameron Johnston, Ohio State	13	56	2614	70	46.7		
2. David Blough, Purdue	12	13	3352	597	3365	280.4	2. Kenny Allen, Michigan	13	54	2340	67	43.3		
3. J.T. Barrett, Ohio State	13	845	2555	584	3400	261.5	3. Blake Gillikin, Penn State (30)	14	61	2611	69	42.8		
4. Clayton Thorson, Northwestern	13	98	3182	575	3280	252.3	4. Hunter Niswander, Northwestern	13	73	3015	62	41.3		
5. Tommy Armstrong Jr., Nebraska	11	512	2180	407	2692	244.7	5. Ron Coluzzi, Iowa	13	75	3080	58	41.1		
FIELD GOALS MADE							FIELD GOALS MADE							
	G	MADE	ATT.	PCT.	MADE/G									
1. Emmitt Carpenter, Minnesota	13	22	24	91.7	1.69									
2. Tyler Davis, Penn State (17)	14	22	24	91.7	1.57									
3. Kenny Allen, Michigan	13	19	23	82.6	1.46									
4. Tyler Durbin, Ohio State	13	17	22	77.3	1.31									
5. Michael Geiger, Michigan State	12	15	19	78.9	1.25									

# 2016 SEASON IN REVIEW

## BIG TEN INDIVIDUAL STAT LEADERS

► FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE		G	MADE	ATT.	LONG	PCT.
1.	Tyler Davis, Penn State (8)	14	22	24	40	91.7
	Emmit Carpenter, Minnesota	13	22	24	53	91.7
3.	Drew Brown, Nebraska	13	12	14	51	85.7
4.	Kenny Allen, Michigan	13	19	23	51	82.6
5.	Keith Duncan, Iowa	13	9	11	41	81.8

► PAT KICKING PERCENTAGE		G	MADE	ATT.	PCT.
1.	Tyler Davis, Penn State	14	62	62	100.0
	Kenny Allen, Michigan	13	53	53	100.0
	Drew Brown, Nebraska	13	38	38	100.0
	Michael Geiger, Michigan State	12	30	30	100.0
	C. McLaughlin, Illinois	11	26	26	100.0

► TACKLES		G	SOLO	AST.	TOTAL	AVG./G	SACKS
1.	Tegray Scales, Indiana	13	93	33	126	9.7	7
2.	Josey Jewell, Iowa	13	58	66	124	9.5	1.5
3.	S. Cockerille, Maryland	12	52	56	108	9.0	3
4.	Hardy Nickerson, Illinois	12	38	69	107	8.9	2
5.	Tre Watson, Illinois	12	38	64	102	8.5	0
	Trevor Morris, Rutgers	12	54	48	102	8.5	1
7.	Riley Bullough, Michigan State	9	20	56	76	8.4	0
8.	Godwin Igwebuike, Northwestern	13	78	30	108	8.3	0
9.	Ben Gedeon, Michigan	13	38	68	106	8.2	4.5
	J. Carter, Maryland	13	58	48	106	8.2	6
11.	Markus Bailey, Purdue	12	61	36	97	8.1	0
12.	Chris Frey, Michigan State	12	40	56	96	8.0	0.5
	Marcus Oliver, Indiana	12	65	31	96	8.0	4
14.	Deonte Roberts, Rutgers	12	35	60	95	7.9	0
	<b>Marcus Allen, Penn State</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>7.9</b>	<b>0</b>

► SACKS		G	SOLO	AST.	YARDS	AVG./G
1.	Taco Charlton, Michigan	11	8	3	52	0.86
2.	T.J. Watt, Wisconsin	14	10	3	84	0.82
3.	I. Odenigbo, Northwestern	13	10	0	70	0.77
4.	C. Phillips, Illinois	12	9	0	58	0.75
5.	J. Aniebonam, Maryland	13	7	4	74	0.69
11.	Evan Schwan, Penn State	13	4	4	43	0.46
15.	Garrett Sickels, Penn State	14	3	6	42	0.43

► TACKLES FOR LOSS		G	SOLO	AST.	YARDS	TOTAL	AVG./G
1.	Tegray Scales, Indiana	13	20	7	69	23.5	1.81
2.	C. Phillips, Illinois	12	19	2	89	20	1.67
3.	J. Peppers, Michigan	12	11	10	65	16	1.33
4.	Marcus Oliver, Indiana	12	13	5	71	15.5	1.29
5.	Dawuane Smoot, Illinois	12	12	6	52	15	1.25
15.	<b>Garrett Sickels, Penn State</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>12.5</b>	<b>0.89</b>

► PASSES DEFENDED		G	BRUP	INT.	TOTAL	AVG./G
1.	Rashard Fant, Indiana	13	17	3	20	1.5
2.	Blessuan Austin, Rutgers	11	14	1	15	1.4
3.	C. Stribling, Michigan	13	13	4	17	1.3
	Jourdan Lewis, Michigan	10	11	2	13	1.3
5.	Sojourn Shelton, Wisconsin	14	12	4	16	1.1
	Nathan Gerry, Nebraska	11	8	4	12	1.1
	Montre Hartage, Northwestern	13	9	5	14	1.1

(\*) - national ranking

► INTERCEPTIONS		G	NO.	YARDS	TD	LONG	AVG./G
1.	Malik Hooker, Ohio State	13	7	181	3	48	0.5
2.	Leo Musso, Wisconsin	14	5	16	0	16	0.4
	Kieron Williams, Nebraska	13	5	44	1	23	0.4
5.	Monte Hartage, Northwestern	13	5	70	0	66	0.4
	D'Cota Dixon, Wisconsin	14	4	45	0	40	0.3
	Markus Bailey, Purdue	12	4	44	0	39	0.3
	Gareon Conley, Ohio State	13	4	0	0	0	0.3
	C. Stribling, Michigan	13	4	60	1	51	0.3
	M Lattimore, Ohio State	13	4	61	1	40	0.3
	Nathan Gerry, Nebraska	11	4	18	0	10	0.4
	Sojourn Shelton, Wisconsin	14	4	48	0	40	0.3

► FORCED FUMBLES		G	NO.	AVG./G
1.	Marcus Oliver, Indiana	12	5	0.4
2.	Stanley Green, Illinois	10	3	0.3
	Tai'yon Devers, Minnesota	11	3	0.3
	Tre Watson, Illinois	12	3	0.3
	Tyquan Lewis, Ohio State	13	3	0.2
	Brandon Snyder, Iowa	13	3	0.2
	<b>Torrence Brown, Penn State</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0.2</b>

► FUMBLES RECOVERED		G	NO.	AVG./G
1.	Jonathan Crawford, Indiana	13	4	0.3
2.	Gaelin Elmore, Minnesota	13	3	0.2
3.	K.J. Gray, Rutgers	10	2	0.2
	Antoine Winfield, Minnesota	10	2	0.2
	Darnell Davis, Rutgers	12	2	0.2
	Jalyn Holmes, Ohio State	13	2	0.2
	Scott Ekpe, Minnesota	13	2	0.2
	Steven Richardson, Minnesota	13	2	0.2
	Brandon Snyder, Iowa	13	2	0.2
	Julian Huff, Minnesota	13	2	0.2
	C. Burkett, Maryland	13	2	0.2
	Matt Nelson, Iowa	13	2	0.2
	<b>Marcus Allen, Penn State</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0.1</b>
	<b>Torrence Brown, Penn State</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0.1</b>
	<b>Kevin Givens, Penn State</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0.1</b>



The Nittany Lions won their fourth Big Ten Championship and first since 2008 with a come-from-behind 38-31 win over Wisconsin in the Big Ten Championship game at Lucas Oil Stadium in Indianapolis.

## BIG TEN TEAM STAT RANKINGS

► TEAM OFFENSE	
Rushing Offense	7th, 171.9
Passing Offense	3rd, 260.7
Total Offense	2nd, 432.6
Passing Efficiency	1st, 156.6 (14)
Red Zone Offense	5th, 86.6
Scoring	3rd, 37.6 (21)

► TEAM DEFENSE	
Rushing Defense	8th, 151.3
Passing Defense	11th, 216.6
Total Defense	8th, 367.9
Scoring Defense	8th, 25.4
Sacks	2nd, 2.9 (19)
Team Tackles for Loss	2nd, 8.1 (7)
Interceptions	8th, 10

► SPECIAL TEAMS	
Punting	3rd, 37.8
Punt Return Average	11th, 6.5
Kickoff Return Average	10th, 19.7
Kickoff Coverage	2nd, 41.0
Field Goal Percentage	T-1st, 91.7
Blocked Kicks	4th, 3 (23)
Turnover Margin	8th, +0.07

2 MARCUS ALLEN - All-Big Ten Third Team

9 TRACE MCSORLEY - All-Big Ten Second Team, Maxwell Club Tri-State Player of the Year

26 SAQUON BARKLEY - Sporting News All-America Second Team, Big Ten Graham-George Offensive Player of the Year, Big Ten Ameche-Dayne Running Back of the Year, Chicago Tribune Silver Football, All-Big Ten First Team

40 JASON CABINDA - All-Big Ten Third Team

88 MIKE GESICKI - All-Big Ten Second Team

95 TYLER DAVIS - Vlade Award, All-Big Ten First Team



# RETURNING AWARD WINNERS

2017 SPRING MEDIA GUIDE  
**PENN STATE FOOTBALL**



2016 BIG TEN CHAMPIONS		2017 BIG TEN CHAMPIONS
	09.02	AKRON
	09.09	PITTSBURGH
	09.16	GEORGIA STATE
	09.23	@ IOWA*
	09.30	INDIANA*
	10.07	@ NORTHWESTERN*
	10.21	MICHIGAN*
	10.28	@ OHIO STATE*
	11.04	@ MICHIGAN STATE*
	11.11	RUTGERS*
	11.18	NEBRASKA*
	11.25	@ MARYLAND*
<b>BIG</b>	12.02	BIG TEN CHAMPIONSHIP GAME

\* BIG TEN CONFERENCE GAME